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Moet & Chandon	23,835	12,803
Pommery & Greno	14,932	9,755
Vve Clicquot	11,500	6,947
Krug & Co.	4,575	4,728
Ruinart, pere & fils	2,714	3,166
Pol Roger	2,642	2,037
Louis Roederer	3,680	2,774
Perrier Jouet	—	750
Piper Heidsieck	956	700
Duc de Montebello	1,040	173
Ackerman & Lawrence	224	153
Dolbock & Co.	227	106
Various other brands, 15 in all.	12,380	7,611
Grand Total.....	105,878	80,057

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## NO TAMPERING WITH THE LISTS

### Opposition Will Continue to Insist on Withdrawal of the Evil Clauses

### WOULD PASS SALARY VOTES

### Government's Dealings With Timber Lands Again Discussed

Ottawa, May 19.—The opposition in caucus this morning decided to continue the fight against the government's election bill, refusing to accept Sir Wilfrid Laurier's offer to have the revision of the voters' lists in British Columbia, Manitoba and portions of Ontario and Quebec left in the hands of local judges. They are willing, however, to pass the remaining votes for civil service salaries, but if the government attempts to take up any other supply votes, the opposition will renew the criticism of the government's timber policy in western Canada.

On the opening of the house today Mr. Turfitt complained about some statements reported to have been made by Mr. Ames in a speech at Halifax. He said, they were untrue. Mr. Ames again brought up the timber limit question. Since the matter had been last referred to in the house some new evidence had come to light, presenting proof of phenomenal success on the part of certain bidders in these relationships to the minister of the day. These demands were a rational explanation. Mr. Ames went into the matter in detail at some length, his argument intended to bring out that some strange things had happened either through coincidence or design, leaving the impression in his mind that it was by design. He paid particular attention to Mr. Burrows, and his operations, and to the Imperial Pulp company. This concern has secured practically the whole reserve supply within 150 miles of Edmonton. In conclusion, Mr. Ames pointed out that half the available timber of these western provinces is in the hands of speculators, the country having received but a fifth of its value. At the lowest estimate these lands are worth three to five million dollars. A great national asset had been squandered, and the speculators who had acquired these lands were relatives and close friends of members of the government. They are already millionaires and will become multimillionaires through these transactions. Mr. Ames closed by demanding the appointment of an impartial non-partisan commission, wholly free of political considerations, to thoroughly investigate the department of the Interior, and should it be proven that the people of Canada had been robbed, steps should be taken to recover the property.

Mr. Burrows followed Mr. Ames. He denied the statements made in reference to himself by Mr. Ames, and said that the value of the limits in question had been greatly exaggerated by that gentleman. All the limits he had secured had been secured before he became a member of parliament, and he did not know why he had been singled out for attack by the opposition. His relationship to Mr. Sligo had nothing to do with the matter. Personally he had nothing to be ashamed of.

Mr. Lake complained that aliases had been used in tendering for timber limits. He moved a resolution calling for a full and unrestricted investigation, in order that restitution might be made to the country of any limits obtained by fraud.

Mr. Macdonald thought there was nothing to apologize for in the administration of the Interior department, and Mr. Bristol continued the discussion.

Mr. Lake's amendment was lost on division by a straight party vote of 91 to 46.

The house will go into supply again tomorrow.

### California for Bryan.

Fresno, Cal., May 19.—The Democratic state convention today adopted a platform instructing the California delegates for W. J. Bryan for president.

### Man Who Lived in Saskatchewan is Ordered Under Arrest at Cincinnati

Cincinnati, Ohio, May 19.—Henry Steinberg, a Boston scenic artist who came here with his young wife eighteen months ago, and disappeared suddenly last year, when Mrs. Steinberg died under mysterious circumstances, is under arrest at Cincinnati, Ohio, charged with murder. His arrest followed the report made to the coroner's jury by the Boston chemists who examined the stomach contents of the body, which was exhumed three weeks ago.

The Mounted Police began to look for Steinberg as soon as the rumors of foul play crystallized to such an extent that it was thought advisable to open the grave and hold an inquest. After enquiries had been made in Boston, whence the couple came, and other American cities, the fugitive was located in Cincinnati, where he had married a girl he knew in Boston previous to his first marriage. The police of the Ohio city were urged to keep him under watch until the organs of the dead woman could be submitted to a chemical analysis.

The coroner's jury received this report last week. It showed traces of arsenic, and the authorities decided to act. The Mounted Police got busy and a wire yesterday announced that Steinberg was under arrest in Cincinnati.

The motive for the crime is thought to be some \$500 possessed by the wife and the desire to be free to marry the woman he is now said to be living with.

The Steinbergs came here two years ago, and he took up a homestead in the Green Bluff district. The accused seemed to be a man of education and a printer.

The police are said to have woven a strong chain of circumstantial evidence around the fugitive.

### Hanged Himself.

Winnipeg, May 19.—Chas. Martin, aged 36, an invalid out of work, hanged himself with a piece of cord at his home on Laura street last night. Despondency is said to be the cause.

### Survived Bad Fall.

Winnipeg, May 19.—Jas. Cook, who fell fifty feet from the ceiling of St. Boniface cathedral yesterday, is in a fair way of recovery. His case has amazed the doctors.

### Died of Apoplexy.

Cardston, Alta., May 19.—About 1 p. m. Sunday Silvester Lowe, who lives southwest of the town about one and a half miles, went to the barn to harness his horse preparatory to going to church. He returned in two or three minutes with the bridle in his hand, complaining of a pain in his head. Sinking to the floor, he lost consciousness inside of five minutes and never spoke again. It was a case of apoplexy. He was a well known farmer.

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### Dismiss Agent General.

Fredericton, N. B., May 19.—In the New Brunswick legislature today it was decided to cut off the \$2,000 year allowance made by the former government to C. A. Duff-Miller as New Brunswick's agent general in London.

### Responsibility for Explosion.

Kenora, Ont., May 19.—The trial of John Koppa, charged with the careless handling of explosives at Jordan Bros. camp on March 7, by which four men lost their lives, was resumed this morning. After the evidence of several witnesses had been taken, Koppa was committed for trial on June 2.

### Greek Steamer Wrecked.

Nassau, Bahamas Islands, May 19.—A small boat containing several passengers and some of the crew of the Greek steamer Cyclades, came in here today. The Cyclades, from New Orleans for Genoa, foundered off Stirrup Bay on May 13. The crew and passengers took to the boats. The captain and fifteen of the crew arrived Sunday.

### Died on Board Ship.

Queenstown, May 19.—The officials of the Cunard Steamship Co. state that the death of Brigadier General Charles A. Whittier, U.S.A., retired, which occurred on board the steamship Mauretania on Thursday last, during the voyage from New York, was due to heart failure. Some of the passengers who landed assert that Gen. Whittier was stricken while taking a bath and accidentally turned on the hot water and was scalded. This lacks confirmation.

### Escape from Drowning.

Macleod, Alta., May 19.—Councillor R. G. McDonald and Wm. Harvey, manager of the Excelsior Life Insurance company, and director of the Standard Trust company, had a narrow escape from drowning yesterday. They were out driving in the country and in attempting to cross Willow creek the horse got in a hole and was swept away and the men were left in the hands of the angry water. The occupants of the buggy jumped out, and after being soaked to their necks managed to get to shore and were driven home by D. I. Grier, whose ranch is near. The buggy was valued at \$175.

## FOREIGNERS RIOT OVER THEIR WAGES

### Strikers at Windsor End of Tunnel Attack Police Sergeant

Windsor, Ont., May 19.—Demanding a right to be paid instead of a ten hour day, and a raise of pay from \$1.75 to \$2.25, about three hundred foreign laborers employed in shaft No. 4, in the Windsor end of the Michigan Central tunnel went on a strike this morning. The company refused the demands of the men, who then started to make trouble about getting their pay. Sergeant Nash was knocked down, but regaining his feet drew a revolver and dispersed the crowd, arresting after a chase, one of the men who had struck him with a large club.

### WIFE MURDER SUSPECTED

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### Faces Terrible Death

Wealthy and Aged Resident of Brooklyn Told He Must Soon Die of Hydrophobia

### Longshoreman Killed.

St. John, May 19.—Another fatality occurred among longshoremen working on the Donaldson line steamer In-draani today. John Haley was killed yesterday afternoon, and this afternoon, a Norwegian had his life crushed out, when a heavy gangway tilted and jammed him against the side of the vessel. He died in 16 minutes.

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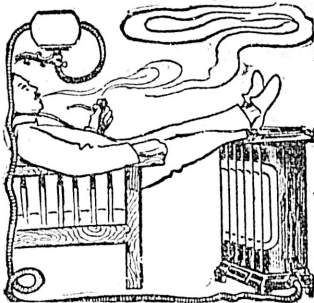
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## VANCOUVER ISLAND OFFICIALS NEGLIGENT

### So Claim Committee of Terminal City Football League—A Statement

Vancouver, May 19.—The committee appointed by the Vancouver District Football League to draft a letter to the press in reply to the published statements made by President J. G. Brown of the Vancouver Island association at the latter's annual meeting has authorized the following:

"The soccer season just ended has (with the exception of the British Columbia championship finals) been a record one in every way, and good management it will soon become the favorite pastime on the Pacific coast. The question naturally arises who is to blame for the general mixup regarding the British Columbia championship. The island blames the mainland, something they invariably do when matters don't work out just right.

"One of the chief troubles seems to have been negligence on the part of the British Columbia association officials, all of whom reside on Vancouver Island. Their ignorance of the constitution has been appalling, for, judging from notifications received by the different mainland clubs, the secretary has never read a constitution. All the clubs concerned in the provincial championship have been absolutely in the dark as to dates, grounds, referees, etc., for these finals. Yet in spite of this we find the president of the Vancouver Island association (J. G. Brown), a man who, by virtue of his office, ought to know better, making the statement that the mainland clubs hadn't the courage to meet the islanders. He claims the Celts were afraid to meet Victoria West in the intermediate championship. No one knows better than J. G. Brown that the Celts were not eligible to play in this grade, and even had they won would have lost by protest. The Celts were only too willing to play if they had only been given a sporting chance to win. It might be interesting to know that for the past two seasons the mainland delegates have been trying to do away with the age limit in the British Columbia constitution, and J. G. Brown and his colleagues were responsible for it remaining there. Now he suddenly discovers that this age limit must be eliminated, thus admitting the mainland delegates were right.

"He is still of the same opinion regarding the Cup Tie versus League system, and advises the islanders to stick to the latter. Yes, one, two, it will just take him another year to see the wisdom of playing under the cup rules and then this great 'authority' will be out with another suggestion.

"The mainlanders take off their hats to the North Ward Juniors as the best junior team in the province, possibly in Canada, and regret the Shamrocks had to default the game in Victoria. In justice to the Shamrock Juniors, it might be well to mention that five of their team were unable to leave their work at the last minute; consequently the other boys couldn't go. In the intermediate class the Celts were not eligible to play, although willing if they were given a chance, which the British Columbia elective did not see fit to do. The senior grade rested between Nanaimo and Thistles, and no one seems to have known what was going to happen in this case. It appears the Thistles defaulted (through some misunderstanding) a game on May 9, and on May 16 turned out a scratch team to meet Nanaimo (who came unexpectedly) at Recreation park and were beaten eight goals to nil. Six of the winning team were mainland men and four of these belong to the Thistles, and constitutionally could not play for the Thistles in the British Columbia finals. Even if the British Columbia Football association has got to be put on a sounder basis and both mainland and island work more in harmony together if the British national pastime is to go to the front in British Columbia.

### Ex-Mayor of St. Johns Dead.

St. Johns, Que., May 19.—Charles R. Cousines, ex-Mayor, leading citizen and business man died today, aged 56 years.

### Alberta Wheat.

Lethbridge, Alta., May 19.—Rain has been falling for the past few days. The crops are looking splendid, the experimental farm wheat standing 22 inches high and rye 20 inches. They were not special samples, and there are many acres as good all around the city.

### Ottawa Flood Troubles.

Ottawa, May 19.—Traffic at Hawkesbury and Rockland has been stopped by the flood, and the Hawkesbury lumber and paper mills have had to shut down. At Rockland the railway yards and sidings are under water.

### To Become Judge.

Ottawa, May 19.—Dominique Monte, a former member of parliament for Superiorville, and now a parishioner of Montreal, will succeed the late Judge Paradis on the bench at St. Johns, Que.

### Woman Suffrage at Ottawa.

Ottawa, May 19.—The women of Ottawa are preparing for a modest campaign for suffrage. A meeting will be held Thursday at which Rev. A. A. Cameron, Baptist minister, will advocate their claims. The local council of women are trying to inaugurate a campaign but are not yet unanimous.

### C.P.F. and Employees.

Winnipeg, May 19.—The first sitting of the commission appointed under the Lemieux act to endeavor to adjust the difficulty between the C.P.F. and its employees has held this morning in Manitoba hall. The vital question was raised as to whether the scope of the commission includes the entire system or only that portion west of Thunder Bay. A secret session will be held this afternoon to decide this question, and the decision will be announced at ten o'clock tomorrow morning.

### Montreal's Captain Punished.

Montreal, May 18.—Commander Spain, Dominion week commissioner, this morning exonerated Capt. Griffiths and the crew of the C. P. liner Milwaukee from all blame in connection with the collision between that vessel and the Canadian government steamer Montcalm at Quebec on May 7. The collision was due to the carelessness of Capt. Belanger of the Montcalm, whose certificate is suspended for one year. Capt. Belanger has been navigating the St. Lawrence for thirty-five years.

## Y. M. C. A. SWIMMING CLUB INAUGURATED

At Enthusiastic Meeting Held Last Evening—Officers Elected

The Y. M. C. A. Swimming club held its initial meeting last evening in the gymnasium of the association. The election of officers resulted as follows: Hon. president, R. W. Clarke; president, W. G. Lindsay; treasurer, Gwynn Kiddle; secretary, Ern Crompton; committee, Warren Long, F. Carne, J. Stokes and F. Hartling. The Olympic swimming try-outs, in which certain Eastern swimmers were chosen without competition while swimmers on the Pacific coast are not given a thought, was criticized. It was stated that Vancouver swimmers had telegraphed to the Olympic committee, but the locals decided it best to write at length and state their grievance.

The B. C. Electric company will be written to and asked if they will erect a diving platform about eight or ten feet high on the swimming raft at present anchored in midstream, opposite the bathing beach.

E. Crompton and Warren Long were appointed delegates to the Y. M. C. A. boys swimming club which is about to be organized. It was also decided to address communications to the several local athletic clubs for the purpose of inducing them to organize swimming clubs and a water polo league.

A fee of 10 cents will be charged to enter the club and only association members will be admitted.

## CHAMPION ACCEPTS JOHNSON'S OFFER

Burns Willing to Fight Colored Glove Artist—Cables Terms

London, May 19.—"Tommy" Burns, the heavyweight champion pugilist, today sent a cablegram to Jack Hurley at Chicago accepting an offer to fight "Jack" Johnson, the colored heavy weight on Labor day for a purse of \$35,000. Burns will have \$30,000 win or lose, or draw. Burns' acceptance is as follows: "I will accept \$35,000 for Labor Day, you know my terms. Knell will post the forfeit and sign for me."

Burns is surprised at the strictures in American papers because he did not reply earlier to this offer. He says he never heard of it until he received Hurley's letter yesterday.

Samuel Fitzpatrick, manager for Jack Johnson, said today that Johnson has not heard anything direct from Hurley and as soon as he does is ready to consider the offer.

## CRICKET FIXTURES FOR THE SEASON

Albion and Victoria Teams Will Try Conclusions Next Saturday

The Albion and Victoria cricket teams will try conclusions Saturday. It is understood that the former has been strengthened since their recent match with the Garrison. At any rate the Albion players are confident that they will be able to hold the local seniors in check while the latter look for a walk away.

Appended is the season's series of cricket matches the arranging of which has just been completed:

May 16-25, New Westminster in Victoria.  
May 23, The Albion C. C. home.  
May 30, Seattle in Victoria.  
June 6, Tacoma in Tacoma.  
June 13, Garrison at home.  
June 20, Vancouver in Victoria.  
June 27, the Burrard C. C. Vancouver in Victoria.  
July 1 (Dominion Day), Vancouver in Vancouver.  
July 8, Vancouver away.  
July 11, to be arranged.  
July 18, Seattle in Seattle.  
July 25, Garrison, at home.  
August 8, the Albion C. C. at home.  
August 15, the Burrard C. C. Vancouver.  
August 17-22, Cricket week.  
September 7, New Westminster, at New Westminster.

### Practice Thursday

On Thursday evening the Central lacrosse club will hold a big practice at Oak Bay, in preparation for the coming match with the Vancouver athletic club, on May 25. Those requested to turn out are Crocker, Brennan, McInnes, F. Knox, Redgrave, B. Johnson, Dinsdale, F. Knox, J. Johnson, O. Nason and any others who wish to catch a place on the team. The team will go on the field wearing the new Central sweaters, which have been kindly loaned for the occasion.

Vancouver, May 19.—The Pacific Coast Y.M.C.A. Basketball league, by a mail vote, has decided that the championship shall not be awarded this season owing to the mixup between the Seattle and Vancouver teams. These teams tied twice for the championship, once at the end of the season and again in an extra series, and Seattle defaulted in the playoff at Victoria. The majority of the clubs decided that it would be better to leave the teams tied rather than to make trouble by awarding the honors to any one team. George A. Smith, physical director of the Y.M.C.A., received notice yesterday to this effect from Secretary Booth, of Tacoma.

### COTTON STRIKE

Representatives of Textile Workers' Union Wait on Ministers to Urge Settlement

Montreal, May 19.—A delegation of about twenty members of the Dominion Textile Workers' union waited upon Postmaster General Lemieux and Hon. L. P. Brodeur in the former's office in the general post office today.

P. R. Tremblay, legal adviser of the textile workers, and Secretary Paquette addressed the ministers, urging that the Dominion government should do something to bring about a settlement of the present strike. Mr. Paquette said there were 6,000 operatives out in Valleyfield and Montreal, a thousand workers at Hochelaga having stayed out this morning, leaving about a hundred and sixty in the mill. He had interviewed the manager of the Dominion Textile company and the manager of the Montreal Cotton company, but in each case he received the reply that the workers would have to accept the ten per cent cut, as financial conditions were such that they could not pay the scale that had been in force.

Mr. Lemieux sympathized with the workers, and promised serious consideration to their representatives. There would be a meeting of the cabinet at Ottawa tomorrow, and if it was found necessary a commission would be appointed to inquire into the cotton industry.

## MARKET ARRIVES AT EXPECTED REBOUND

Another Spurt Upward Followed By Decided Break in Prices

New York, May 19.—Another day's transactions of upwards of a million shares marked the continued speculative interest in the stock market. The dealings at the outset set a pace for animation and vigor of the upward movement not equalled since the rise was inaugurated.

This early promise was not maintained, either by the degree of activity or in the advance in prices, the issue being a disorderly break at the close.

The unmistakable signs of weariness in the action of the market occasioned no surprise, and has been looked for almost from hour to hour for some time past by the agile professional traders on the floors. They were lying in wait today to add the weight of their short selling to the heavy offerings of profit-taking sales which came into the market. The opening spurt in the market established a level of prices higher than any heretofore touched on this movement and for a considerable time before the October panic of last year.

The tone of much of the comment of yesterday's market was one of warning against excess in the movement, and much of the advice to customers from commission houses was of the same tone. The sudden expansion in the buying at the outset offered so attractive an opportunity for turning paper profits into cash that it was generally availed of.

An important portion of the new buying came from foreign sources, and there were buying orders executed for many thousands of shares for London account during the morning. There was no strikingly unfavorable news more than has been determinedly ignored while prices were advancing for many days past. The terms of sale of some of the note issues, which represent the stability of hard-pressed corporations to finance their needs, are suggestive also of rather stringent conditions for some corporations borrowing. As this financing, however, offers to secure them from what was considered a bankruptcy and reorganization condition relatively is one of betterment.

Some of the most conspicuous strength in the market has been in stocks that were unduly depressed by such fears.

The short interest is presumed to have contributed to the rebound. The rapid over-tension of a week-long interest undoubtedly contributed also to the crash in prices with which the day ended on the exchange today.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales par value, \$5,084,000. United States bonds were easy on call.

### Smith's Falls Man Disappears.

Smith's Falls, Ont., May 19.—William Corbet one of the best known men in town is missing since Saturday. Searching parties are scouring the town, and suburbs.

### True Bill for Murder

Hamilton, May 19.—The grand jury today returned a true bill for murder against Giuseppe Greco, who is alleged to have fatally stabbed Antoni Rleszo, at Dundas, a couple of months ago.

### France Will Take Part

Paris, May 19.—The French government has decided to take part officially in the celebrations to be held in Quebec next July, commemorating the three hundredth anniversary of the founding of the city.

### Smallpox on Government Steamer.

Halifax, May 19.—A case of smallpox developed on the Dominion Government steamer Lady Laurier yesterday. The patient was removed to the hospital and the steamer, fumigated. She is leaving tomorrow on buoy service.

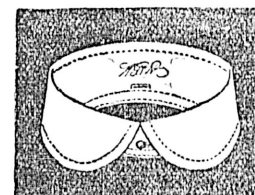
### FAITH IS LACKING

Germany's Negotiations for Arbitration Treaty to Gain Good Will

Berlin, Germany, May 19.—While the government officials positively deny the report emanating from Washington that the negotiations looking to the adoption of an arbitration treaty with the United States have been broken off, the incident serves to bring out again the somewhat pessimistic view of influential elements in Germany with reference to such arbitration projects under present conditions.

At the foreign office it is said that negotiations are still in progress and hope is entertained that they will lead to mutually satisfactory results. The fact that they have not proceeded rapidly is ascribed rather to the difficulty of adjusting certain details than to a lack of accord regarding essential points.

Expressions of a sincere desire that an agreement calculated to improve the relations with the United States should be brought to a successful issue can be heard on all sides. These friendly utterances, however, are coupled with expressions plainly intimating that many leaders both in and out of official life are inclined to be skeptical regarding the value of such agreements except within certain well-defined limits. These practically admit that Germany's attitude in the present case is dictated more by a desire to retain the good will of the United States than by faith in the utility of arbitration.



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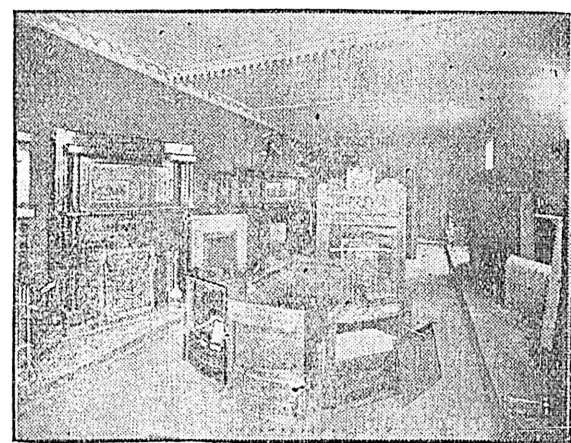
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## WILL CONSIDER RULES TO PROTECT PROPERTY

Draft of New Bylaw Submitted to Parks Board—Regular Meeting

Should the Public Parks Board adopt the by-laws which have been drafted by the secretary of the board, W. J. Dowler, adequate provisions will have been made for the protection of the boulevards, grass plots, trees, shrubs and flowers under the control of the board, and for the first time in its history, the board will have comprehensive rules for the conduct of its business and the proper maintenance of the property under its charge.

At the regular meeting of the board held last evening at the city hall, drafts of proposed by-laws were read by the secretary and laid over for the consideration of a committee consisting of Aldermen Cameron and Messrs. F. B. Pemberton and W. Wilkerson, which will report at a subsequent meeting.

Mr. Dowler read a long report containing his recommendations as to the best method of conducting the business of the board and particularly with reference to the method of keeping accounts and seeing that all such are properly certified and regular.

Mr. Dowler advised that the system now in force in the city engineer's office be adopted as being the most complete and satisfactory in every particular.

**Care of Property.**

Under the provisions of the draft by-law for the care and protection of the property under the control of the board, the driving of animals, running or playing of games on any park, except where the games are allowed, boulevards, etc., the picking of flowers, planting of trees or shrubs (unless where permission is given) will not be allowed. In cases where it is found necessary for persons to cross the boulevards for the purpose of delivery or removal of goods or other articles from houses, boards of sufficient length must be laid so that no injury will be done to the boulevard which must be left in as good condition as before, and in the case of building operations a permit must be obtained from the superintendent of parks and boulevards, and a deposit made with the city treasurer of 25 cents per square yard of boulevard used in such building operations.

When the work is finished, the city treasurer will return the deposit on a certificate from the superintendent that no damage has been done to the boulevard. In case of damage, the boulevard will be repaired and the cost of such work deducted from the amount deposited. A penalty not exceeding \$50 is provided for any breach of these regulations where a conviction is obtained, or in default of payment of the fine, imprisonment for a period not exceeding twenty-five days in jail.

The draft by-law setting forth the constitution and mode of procedure of the board will, if adopted, remain in force, and by-law No. 2, under which the business of the board is now being conducted, as well as determine the duties of the various committees of the board.

**Board Expenditure.**

These draft by-laws, together with a large number of accounts covering the year from the first of the year to May 16 will be considered by the above committee in connection with the accounts, which cover a total expenditure of \$3,146 out of an appropriation from the city of \$7,900, considerable discussion arose over an account for 700 feet of lumber, which was charged at the rate of \$28 per thousand. There was nothing to show whether the lumber was dressed or merely rough, but, if even the latter, the price declared by Chairman John Arbutnot was absurd. The lumber was used in connection with the boulevarding work, and a price such as charged was altogether too high. Mr. Arbutnot declared that double dressed lumber is being shipped from the coast to Winnipeg and being sold at \$21 per thousand, even after the freight of \$10 per thousand has been paid. Alderman Cameron was of the opinion that there must be a combine and Alderman Henderson pointed out that the city had recently called for tenders, but could not get a single tender, the firms apparently refusing to tender as they are all in a combine and will not cut prices. Several accounts for road work, which had been referred to, were held over. The pay roll, which was to have been submitted, was not forthcoming.

**England Appointed.**

D. D. England, who has been officiating as superintendent of boulevards for the past six months, was selected to fill the position of superintendent of parks and boulevards, for which position applications were recently called. There were a dozen names considered by the committee of the board appointed for the purpose, but of these three were referred to the board, D. D. England, Thomas Purdy and Alexander Angus. Mr. England will have general supervision of the parks, boulevards and other property under the control of the board.

The board refused to take any further steps in connection with the cutting down or removal of trees from the streets, several members citing the trouble which has arisen on Rockland avenue as adequate excuse for the board's inaction in this particular. There is a row of maples on the north side of Meares street, opposite the Quadra cemetery, which will have to come down in order to allow of a permanent sidewalk being laid. When the matter came up for consideration Mr. Wilkerson emphatically declared that it was no business of the board whether they were taken out or not. The board's duty began when the boulevards were laid and what steps the city decided to take in doing the street work was no concern of the board. He did not think maples of much use, but Alderman Henderson, in view of the recent trouble, advised that the board should have nothing to do with the trees. Mr. Arbutnot thought it would be cheaper to cut the trees down now before work started. It was decided to leave the removal of the trees to the city.

**Band Concerts.**

Whether there will be band concerts held in the park will depend on what disposition the city will make of the \$500 put in the estimates for concerts this year. Mr. Arbutnot felt that with tourists arriving in the city, there should be some music at the parks, though Mr. Wilkerson pointed out that the board had no funds for that purpose. Mayor Hall was doubtful whether Sunday concerts would now be allowed under the amended by-law now before the council, though Alderman Cameron did not think the by-law affected such concerts. Mayor Hall pointed out that last year the

city and the electric company had got together and arranged for concerts but nothing has been done so far this year. Sunday concerts might lead to trouble. The board will write the council and ascertain what disposition will be made of the \$500 voted in the estimates.

A petition from twenty-two residents of the north ward asking that the board pay no attention to a provision in the constitution that property owners in that section to the effect that the board discontinue the laying of walks and flower plots in the north ward park but rather leave the grounds in a suitable condition for athletic games, was received and laid over for future consideration. The petitioners ask that the board continue with its original plan of beautifying the grounds with walks and flower plots and remind the board that when the money was voted for the work it was intended that what was to be for a park and not for a ground for games. Mr. Arbutnot expressed the opinion that the only thing for the board was to go ahead as was originally intended and do the work as they thought best, while Mr. Wilkerson remarked that what was the demands of the rival factions the board was between the devil and the deep sea.

**Shipment Spoiled.**

Mr. Wilkerson reported that the nursery stock ordered from abroad by the board had arrived at Vancouver. He had gone to that city to inspect it and found it in very bad condition. It having apparently become overripened, only about three cases appeared to be in anything like good condition and he had offered to pay the freight on this to the amount of \$50. The freight on the whole shipment was \$182. This was the only shipment this season which had arrived in bad condition. The matter was left to Mr. Wilkerson to take what action he deems best.

A letter from Mr. Johnson, Vancouver, asking if the city can spare some swans, was read. Superintendent England pointed out that there had been eight young swans some time ago but only one was left, the others having apparently been destroyed. There was no proper place for the swans to hatch their eggs and as the park is infested with dogs, whether tagged or not, are being corralled and handed over to the pound keeper. The result is that not one-tenth of the canines are wandering in the park now that did formerly. He was instructed to see that the road through the park was closed to vehicles by posts being driven at either end. In this way the safety and convenience of those frequenting the park will be increased. The road leads past the lakes, where on Sundays, particularly, the greater part of the visitors gather.

Alderman Henderson was appointed to make arrangements for the purchase of a horse for the mower and the secretary will communicate with Seattle and San Francisco firms relative to the purchase of a horse.

An offer of Mr. Pemberton of a quantity of seed of the Spanish broom was accepted with thanks.

**PREMIER'S NEW HOME**

Hon. Richard McBride and A. T. R. Blackwood Exchange Residences

Premier McBride has bought the handsome house on the Gorge Road now occupied by A. T. R. Blackwood for a consideration stated to be in the neighborhood of \$20,000. The grounds, which cover an area in extent and run back to the water, giving communication with the city either by road or by the sea. The grounds have been well laid out, and the premises generally are well appointed.

Mr. Blackwood has bought the premier's residence on Victoria Crescent, as his home on the Gorge Road was too large for him, and the exchange will probably take place some time during the coming month.

**Former Victorian Gets Honors**

Jerrold Potts, at the recent examinations held at Trinity college, Toronto, carried off the following prizes in the Divinity class: The general proficiency prize, Oser reading prize, Biblical knowledge, old Testament history, Apologetics and Liturgics, the last being divided with Mr. C. W. Potts, who is the youngest son of Dr. George Potts, formerly of Victoria, has accepted the position of curate in the cathedral, Hamilton, and was ordained recently by the Bishop of Niagara. He received his early education at the collegiate school here.

**Walter Damosch.**

The personal acquaintance of Walter Damosch, the distinguished leader of the New York Symphony Orchestra, which plays here Monday, June 1 under London Charlton's direction, is unusually extended, his friendship with famous artists reaching throughout the world. It was Liszt himself who introduced Mr. Damosch to Richard Wagner when "Parsifal" was first produced at Bayreuth. Van Buelow treated him like a son after the death of Dr. Leopold Damosch, his father. His friendship with Mottl and Weingartner began twenty years ago, and has continued until this day.

Among the great artists who have played under Mr. Damosch's baton are Sarasate, Ysaac, Kreisler, Kreisler and Kreisler, violinists; Von Bülow, Kreisler, Lossy, d'Albert, Bauer and Carreno among pianists; while many famous singers made their first American appearances with Mr. Damosch, among them Terina, Galski and Alvarez. All in all the distinguished conductor has had his full share of acquaintances and friendship with great men and women.

**FOREIGNERS USE BRIBES**

One Reason for Their Obtaining Preference Over Men of British Nationality

Toronto, May 19.—One reason why foreigners are preferred on public and other works to English, Scotch and Irish was given by Crown Attorney Corley in the police court today.

William Plewes, foreman for Kelly & Co., contractors, was charged with fraud in having accepted from a number of Italians a dollar each to give them work, and then having discharged them, after they had worked for a short time. Crown Attorney Corley said all foreigners were in the habit of paying foremen to obtain their jobs. British subjects would not do this, so that foreigners secured the preference. The case was remanded to secure further evidence.

Magistrate Kingsford remarked that it looked very crooked.

**Killed by Fall**

Toronto, May 19.—Lawrence Plant, 16 years old, fell down the elevator shaft in the warehouse of W. E. Chalcraft & Co., wholesale clothiers, this afternoon, and was instantly killed.

## ENJOY FINAL SOCIAL EVENING OF SEASON

St. Andrew's Society's Concert and Dance is Most Successful Affair

St. Andrew's society celebrated the last of the monthly social evenings for the present season in fitting manner last evening with a concert and dance at which practically every member of the society was present and the evening proved the most enjoyable of the many pleasant events which the society has held during the past six months. The floor was in excellent condition for the dancers, the concert was largely attended and greatly enjoyed and when the members dispersed it was in the wee sma' hours.

Fully seven hundred were present in the A.O.U.W. hall when the concert programme commenced. President P. J. Riddell presided and in a short address welcomed the members and friends. The following programme, every member of which was roundly cheered and applauded, was rendered:

Opening selection, piano and violin, Messrs. Dobbie and McNab.

Song ..... Mr. Taylor

Song ..... Mrs. Butler

Duet ..... Miss Hylands and Mr. Dobbie

Comic Song ..... Mr. A. Harbison

Recitation ..... Miss McDonald

Duet ..... Mesdames Reid and Butler

Song and Chorus ..... Mr. Dobbie and Company

Song ..... Miss Hylands

Instrumental Duet ..... Messrs. McNab and Dobbie.

Song ..... Mr. McVillie

Highland Dance ..... Miss Alma Hill

Comic Sketch ..... Mr. McVillie and Company.

The success of the above was due to the efforts of Mr. Taylor, who arranged it. To her granddaughter, little Miss Reid, the committee presented a bouquet as an expression of their gratitude.

At the conclusion of the concert refreshments were served and, after Mr. President Riddell, on behalf of the members, presented handsome bouquets and extended the hearty thanks of the society, to the following ladies to whose efforts the success of the monthly meetings has been so largely due: Mesdames Crawford, Miller, Reid, Wilson, Manson, Elliott and the Misses Wilkerson, McDonald, Thane, Maggie Hill, Alma Hill, Naylor, Bryce, Angus and Patterson. President Riddell declared that without the aid of the ladies the society would have found it a difficult matter to so successfully carry out the monthly programme of entertainment, that never in the history of the society had there been such a successful year as was the past. He was loudly applauded when he again extended his thanks to the fair members of the society for their aid in furthering the good fellowship for which St. Andrew's society had always been noted.

Following the refreshments the hall was cleared and nearly three hundred couples spent the balance of the evening in dancing.

The pipe band which has justly become famous under the leadership of Pipe Major Melvor inaugurated the last social evening of the season by parading from Sir William Wallace hall, Broad street, to Government hall, and thence along Yates to the street and back to Government hall.

A.O.U.W. hall playing the stirring martial airs of Auld Scotia. During the evening's entertainment the strains of the pipes interspersed with the latest and catchiest dance music well inclined to dance and they were many, they excused to enjoy themselves to their hearts content.

Now that the regular season for these entertainments has ceased for the time being, the committee will vote its time to arranging for the annual Highland games, which will be held about August 1. The committee, which consists of the officers of the society, Messrs. P. J. Riddell, James Taylor, McQueen Todd, A. Manson, E. C. Smith and W. Walker, will spare no effort to make the forthcoming the most successful in the history of the local society.

**MUSIC AND DRAMA**

**Arion Club Concert.**

The third Arion club concert took place at the Victoria theatre last evening and attracted an audience which filled that structure to the doors. The club acquitted itself almost better than usual.

**All a Mistake.**

The final full dress rehearsal of the comedy "All a Mistake" which will be given this evening in the Institute hall in aid of the Seamen's Institute, took place last evening. Everything is in readiness for a highly creditable and interesting performance.

**Amateurs Will Perform.**

The clever amateurs who have been rehearsing for some time past for the performance of "Champagne and Oysters" will on Friday evening prove the merits of their hard work before a very large audience at Institute Hall, New street. The production is being given under the auspices of the Knights of Columbus, and the play itself is a comedy of a very strong type, furnishing every member of the cast with a most effective part. Up-to-date the sale of seats has been large, and present indications point to a packed house. Reserved seats are on sale at M. W. Walt & Co's on Government street.

**The New Grand.**

A strong show running an hour and three-quarters with not a weak turn in it is the splendid entertainment that Mr. Jamieson is offering patrons of the New Grand, and the favorable comment of the crowds which have packed the theatre so far argue well for a most successful week. John and Bertha Gleason and Fred Hoolihan, the most enthusiastic welcome back after a year's absence. The Gleasons are the cleverest and neatest dancers of any who have visited the coast. Bertha Gleason being the acknowledged champion lady dancer of the world. One of her steps, technically called the "double triple roll," is a feat not accomplished by any other dancer, male or female. Fred Hoolihan, pianist, assists in difficult selections and imitations. The act is one of the best continued that has been here. George O'Raney, billed as a singing, dancing and character change subreite is another feature on the programme. She can sing, and not only sings so, but gives actual vocal demonstration of the fact that brings down the house. She gives some impersonations that are entirely original and imitable. Is a splendid dancer and is altogether the best comedienne we have seen at the Grand. The one act comedy drama, "The Seamstress" as given by Miss

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Franklyn Gale and G. ranks among the really good sketches that vaudeville audiences are not always favored with. Miss Gale is a finished emotional actress and holds the entire attention of the audience while she is on the stage, and her support is good. The playlet deals with a father and daughter who have met reverses, and in order to make both ends meet the girl works in a factory. A supposed murder is committed, and the father, who has been a detective gets another opportunity to become a member of the force by tracing the murderer. As it turns out the daughter is the criminal, and Miss Gale's portrayal of the girl who was subjected to insults and who in self defence defends herself, is particularly well enacted. The American Newsboy's Quartette is a better singing aggregation than has been here for some time and is making a big hit. McKush and Penfold have a singing and talking comedy act that is above the average of such turns and keeps the audience



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## THE FIRE WARDENS.

Alderman Fullerton reminds us that a recent reference in the Colonist to a lack of proper facilities for drying hose is "the first time he had known a paper to attempt to influence the work of the Firewardens." We tender our sincere apologies and beg to inform the alderman that the Firewardens will not hereafter have any reason to complain of neglect in this particular. He also said that he would like to know who our informant was in respect to the lack of these appliances. Whether the alderman proposes to reward or to punish the person who gave the information we do not know, but we may mention for his information that it was a high city official. But really we do not see what difference it makes who mentioned the matter to the Colonist. Somebody mentions almost everything that appears in the papers. If nobody did, there would not be much for the papers to talk about. The point involved in the matter in question is not who told the Colonist that the appliances for drying hose are not what they ought to be, but whether they are what they ought to be. If they are, Alderman Fullerton should have said so; if they are not, the Firewardens should ask the City Council to authorize the expenditure necessary to provide such appliances. This is really the whole question, and we repeat that it does not make the slightest difference who told the Colonist anything about it. For the future we shall endeavor to give the Firewardens that degree of attention which their efforts to do their duty and their shortcomings, if they have any, deserve; and we have to say to Alderman Fullerton that in so doing, if it becomes necessary to censure, we shall not hesitate to censure, although we have every hope that if their work is kept properly before the public there will be few grounds to find fault. There is nothing like publicity to secure good administration, and there are some citizens who say that if there had been more publicity in regard to the Fire Department and all connected with it, Victoria would have better service than she now has. But this is only by the way. We shall remedy the defect to which Alderman Fullerton has been good enough to direct our attention.

We note that the Firewardens seem to have resented the letter written to them by Messrs. J. L. Beckwith & Co., who tendered for the supply of some of the new hose. We have no desire to say anything for or against the offer of this firm, because we recognize that the decision in such matters must rest with the Firewardens, but it does not seem unreasonable to say that nothing in the letter referred to can, in our view, be construed as lacking in courtesy to the City Council or any members of it. Surely a business firm or a private citizen has the right to address even the Firewardens in respect to any matter relating to the administration of the very important affairs coming within the province of that body. We noted with a good deal of surprise that one of the aldermen said that the fact of the bursting of the hose at the Mahon fire was not brought to the attention of the Firewardens. Apparently nothing whatever would have been said about it, if the Colonist had not mentioned it, which strengthens the point made by Alderman Fullerton in his complaint that the papers do not give such matters sufficient attention.

## VICTORIA'S SUBURBS.

Only those persons, who have been able to visit the suburbs of Victoria during the last week, can have any idea of what the country looks like. We venture to suggest that as many of our people as possible should during the next few days go out Quadra street past the pumping station. There may be other localities, which would serve just as well for the purpose mentioned, but this is the most convenient to town. As soon as they have got beyond the city limits they will notice what is being done in the way of building and the setting out of fruit farms and in the course of the next two miles they will look upon a scene, which it would be difficult to surpass for beauty and promise for the future. On both sides of the road are orchards and berry fields. How many acres are in fruit we can only surmise, but the area is very large. Some of the trees are mature; others are in all stages of development. In many places long lines of strawberries white with blossom meet the eye. Raspberry, blackberry and logan berry bushes are seen in abundance, and the whole landscape, especially now when the bloom is on the apple trees, presents a sight well worth seeing.

But the bearing of this upon Victoria is not because it is a thing of beauty, but because of what it implies. What has been done here along two

miles of the highway, can be done in scores of places all over the Saanich and Esquimalt districts and down in Metchoshin. These beautifully tilled acres with their long lines of fruit, large and small, surrounding dwelling houses that would grace any city, can be duplicated over and over again. If there were some way of bringing people, who are wondering what they can do with a little capital to make themselves homes where they could have a comfortable living, to take a drive along the road mentioned, many of them would speedily make up their minds what they ought to do. The progress in this part of Victoria's suburbs during the past few years has been something surprising. It seems almost incredible that the land where these beautiful orchards are only a very little while ago was in forest or a desolate area of half burned logs. There is nothing finer in all the world than the promise of such an area, for its productiveness under good management will be perennial. After one has driven through this district if he turns in any direction through the country on every hand he will see evidences of advancement. And what an observing man will also see which is of greater importance, is the enormous area that can at a comparatively small outlay be converted into such a land of promise as that along Quadra street.

## AN OBJECT LESSON.

If any one is in any doubt as to the results that might flow, from unrestricted Oriental immigration, he has only to take a walk through "Little Asia" which we used once upon a time to call Chinatown, on any Sunday morning. He will see some things that will set him thinking. There will be several hundred Chinamen doing their best to observe a Canadian Sunday by gathering in groups on the corners. He will see a number of Chinese women with little children. He will see a lot of older Chinese children—native sons and daughters, the former of whom one of these days will be claiming the right of citizenship. He will see, hovering around the outskirts the turbaned Sikhs, and here and there a number of Japanese who seem to live in protest against the fact that they are classed with the other sons of the Orient. Then he has only to think what would take place, if there were no restrictions upon this immigration, and if his conclusion is not that in a comparatively few years the southeast of British Columbia would be Orientalized, we are very much mistaken.

Eastern people hardly appreciate the facts of the case. Those of them, who come here, look upon our Little Asia as a flaw upon the face of the city. They are interested at first by the strange appearance of the people, but after a time they begin to realize how much better it would be if the places of the Orientals could be taken by white people. We feel very sure that if Sir Wilfrid Laurier could examine the Oriental situation on the ground, he would see how mistaken he was when he expressed himself as of the opinion that the views of the people of British Columbia on this subject are not well founded. He would appreciate better than he now can the real nature of the Oriental menace, and with what good reason the governments and legislatures of British Columbia have year after year endeavored to close the door against immigration from across the Pacific.

## ELECTORAL LISTS.

The events that have transpired in connection with the proposed amendments to the Franchise Act have directed public attention in a marked way to the whole question of preparation of voters' lists. We think there will be no difference of opinion in regard to the points made in the following extract from the Toronto News:

"The right to vote should be secured to every citizen, and it is peculiarly objectionable that this right should in any degree depend upon the favor or the activity of partisan politicians. In the so far as the legislation now before the House of Commons is concerned it is a pity that a conference could not be had between the Provincial and Federal authorities and an arrangement effected by which the whole preparation of the lists would rest in the hands of the municipal and judicial authorities."

"The News thinks that Federal voters' lists were a 'costly nuisance,' and we think that most people who had experience with them will agree with that proposition. We believe that there ought only to be one set of lists, that is, that the same lists should be used in Federal and Provincial elections. Discussing the matter in the House of Commons, Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that Conservatives did not wish to run elections on lists prepared by Liberals, and Liberals did not wish to run elections on lists prepared by Conservatives. But we do not see why partisanship need enter into the preparation of lists. In some of the Eastern provinces, in all of them, in fact, the lists are prepared by the officers of municipalities, and it is supposed that they are therefore likely to be non-partisan. As a matter of fact, we do not believe that partisanship plays much part in the preparation of the lists in any part of Canada. We know it does not in British Columbia. We believe the British Columbia system is an excellent one, although it might be strengthened by providing for an appeal from the decision of the Registrar to a county court judge. Doubtless many names have been left on the British Columbia lists that ought to have been struck off, but this is not the fault of the system, but has been due to a lack of public interest. The cases are very few, indeed—at present

we do not recall any where a man duly qualified to vote was refused registration. Possibly the British Columbia system might be adapted for general use throughout the Dominion, and it might not be unreasonable to suggest that the cost of preparing the lists might be borne jointly by the Federal and Provincial governments. We do not think that any one will dispute the statement that to deprive a man of his vote is one of the gravest offenses against the public welfare, and we hope the time is not far distant when it can be said that such a thing is impossible in any part of Canada. At the same time it must be remembered that people must be on the watch to see that their rights are not taken from them. An opportunity to register as voters is all that any government can give. If people do not choose to avail themselves of it it is their own fault. If they are disfranchised, this is one of those things in which "eternal vigilance is the price of liberty."

It is pleasant to say that Mr. MacKenzie King will address the Canadian Club of this city at an early day.

Seeing that the Montreal Star has taken care to state in the most specific manner possible that it is no longer a supporter of the Conservative or any other political party, but intends to pursue a strictly independent course, what justification has any newspaper for saying that it is 'conservative'?

Winnipeg, in respect to population, has passed the 100,000 mark. This indicates a very rapid growth, but he would be a bold man who would attempt to set a limit to the expansion of what there is the best of reason for supposing will one day be the Chicago of Canada.

Citizens will be only displaying a proper regard for their own interests by rendering every assistance to the sanitary inspector in the effort to rid the trees of caterpillar and other insect pests. The city council has determined to enforce strictly the terms of the by-law calling for systematic spraying of trees.

There can be no room for doubt that the New Westminster district is developing at a very rapid pace, in the face of the announcement that two new weekly papers are shortly to commence publication. If it be true that "trade follows the flag" it is equally true that the printing press follows fast on the heels of business expansion.

The announcement that proceedings to declare the high-pressure by-law invalid will be dropped will be very welcome news to the citizens generally, for they do not want litigation over such matters. The requisite number of ratepayers having decided in favor of the proposed expenditures, the sooner the money is secured and work is begun the better.

The Vancouver Province claims to have positive information that the federal elections will be held in October. We have some doubt as to the accuracy of this forecast. The conditions existing at Ottawa just now make it quite unsafe to make any claims as to when dissolution will take place. The government can hardly wish to go to the country until it has had time to set its house in a little better order than it is at present.

It is very pleasant to observe that the splendid work being done on behalf of this province by the agent-general in London, Mr. J. H. Turner, is receiving wide recognition. This is all the more gratifying in view of the fact that a note of complaint was heard some time ago as to the inadequacy of the facilities at the disposal of Mr. Turner to properly perform the important mission entrusted to him, a disability which we are glad to say, was promptly removed by the McBride government.

We devote a considerable amount of space to reciting information about the resources and attractions of Vancouver Island, but are not unmindful of the fact that it is not the only island in adjacent waters which offers opportunities to the agriculturalist and the home-seeker. We read with great interest that the Salt Spring fruit-growers expect this year to pack no less than 20,000 boxes of apples; and it affords much pleasure to point to this as evidence that the enterprising residents on that splendid island are displaying commendable and progressive industry.

The United States is making but slow progress in its recovery from the late financial panic. Such incidents as the closing of the Allegheny National Bank of Pittsburgh, though it is said to have been directly due to the embezzlement of a former cashier, are disquieting symptoms of a general situation which is the reverse of satisfactory. In this connection it may be noted that at a meeting of the National Association of Manufacturers in New York on Monday, as reported in yesterday's dispatches, Mr. Alfred Post, during the course of a speech, "pointed to half a million idle freight cars."

Apparently there is going to be a long and profitless discussion over the Bill to amend the Franchise Act. So far as the discussion in Parliament goes there does not seem to be very much said about British Columbia. It is true that Mr. Duncan Ross said that the voters' lists in this province are "rotten," but the fact that it was Mr. Ross who said so renders any serious comment unnecessary. Mr. Gallher has said that there ought to be new lists prepared here every two years, a statement which seems extraordinary in view of the fact that there are two revisions every year, at which what are to all intents and purposes

new lists are made up. Messrs. Templeman, Macpherson, Smith, Sloan or Kennedy do not yet appear to have spoken on the Bill. The chances are that if the thing had to be done over again, Sir Wilfrid Laurier would not let his colleagues get him in quite as tight a place as they have succeeded in pushing him into.

When Major Hodgins went on the stand to testify before the special committee of the House of Commons, a determined effort was made to compel him to proceed with the case without being allowed to produce any evidence except such as he had in his own possession. Major Hodgins had said in his statements in the Colonist that he could prove what he said as to over-classification if the reports of the Grand Trunk Pacific engineers were produced. He did not claim to have the proof in his own pocket, and in the very nature of things he could not have it. Mr. MacDonald, one of the committee, seemed to be terribly incensed because Major Hodgins had said: "Monsieur Parent had hypnotized the government." This he thought was a reflection on the Premier and therefore said the Major should tell at once what he meant by that. Mr. Murphy, who is counsel for the Commissioners, insisted that Major Hodgins should proceed to tell at once what information he had when he made his statements to the Colonist. He was accordingly called and gave evidence very similar to what he said to the Colonist. He did not cover as much ground as in his letter or his interviews, and was still under examination when the committee adjourned until yesterday. We do not say that a majority of the committee, aided by counsel for the Commissioners, propose to prevent Major Hodgins from placing his case properly before them, but they are certainly not assisting him in any way. One would suppose that a committee of inquiry would not start out with the supposition that the person making the charges was necessarily in the wrong, but this seems to be what is transpiring in this matter.

## SPIRIT OF THE PRESS

## Are Not Partisan.

The government's licensing bill was ordered to be read a second time in the British house of commons by a majority of 216. This does not mean that it will get through the two houses of parliament, but it does mean that the party will stand by it to the last. In our country where the people are not afraid to vote against ministers, representatives are not afraid to vote against interests—Montreal Gazette.

## Up to Duncan.

The statement made by Duncan Ross in the commons on the elections bill debate, as set out in the dispatches, that the British Columbia elections lists are crowded with the names of absentees and dead men will come as a surprise to western men. Was this really the case in Yale-Cariboo at the last election and if so does it account for Duncan's victory—Nelson News.

## The Right View.

Dr. George R. Parkin, addressing the Royal Colonial Institute in London, said that the most probable dissolvent of the empire would be ignorance—ignorance by the merchants of the resources and achievements of the Colonists, and ignorance and forgetfulness by the Colonies of the supreme excellency and glorious history of the Motherland—the power and highest example of national liberty in the modern world.—Halifax Herald.

## Food for Thought.

Following on the civil service commission's report, an inquiry is now being made into the marine department. Is not the humber in connection with this civil service being carried to the length of absurdity? What is the difference between the clerks of the nation and the clerks of a corporation, or the clerks of a village grocer? Would T. Eaton have any monkeying with commissions and inquiries if his clerk were rabbling him? If the head of a department of Timothy Eaton's suspected any stealing, a few hours would settle any suspicions. If Eaton found the head of a department allowing any stealing about how long do you reckon that gentleman would occupy his position? How is it that the business of the country cannot be conducted at Eaton or any village store-keeper manages his business? That is what is the matter with the country. Think it over, with your evening pipe, and you will find that it will lead you to thought enough for a whole evening.—Rababayan Independent.

## The Moon's Minion.

Thine eyes are like the sea, my dear  
The wand'ring waters, green and gray;  
Thine eyes are wonderful and clear,  
And deep and deadly, even as they;  
The spirit of the changeful sea  
Informs thine eyes at night and noon,  
She sways the tides, and the heart of thee,  
The mystic, sad, capricious moon!

The moon came down the shining star  
Of clouds that flock the summer sky,  
She kissed thee, saying, "Child, be fair,  
And madden men's hearts, even as I,  
Thou shalt love all things strange and sweet."  
That know me and are known to me;  
The lover thou shalt never meet,  
The land where thou shalt never be!"

Rare Color in Moles  
Mole-catching first became a regular occupation about a century ago when English mole-catchers were introduced on the lands of the Duke of Rutland. The handsomest varieties belong to the "silver gray" class. If these could be obtained in any quantity they would bring a high price in the fur market. Mr. Servot, of Norwich, lately lecturing before the Edinburgh Field Naturalists' Association, stated that he had never seen a really white mole, and he believed it to be a great rarity. Nor had he ever seen a piebald variety. He had little doubt that variation in color in moles ran in certain families. The regularity with which a certain variety occurred repeatedly in the same field or on the same farm was well known to every mole-catcher, while no abnormal coloration would be perceived in either part of the parish.—London Globe.

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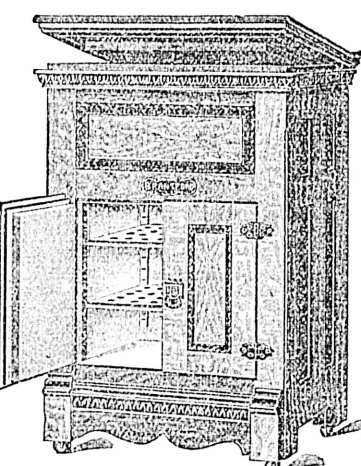
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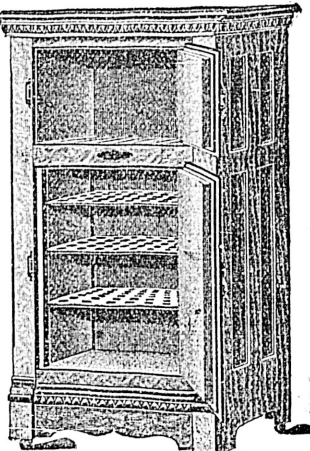
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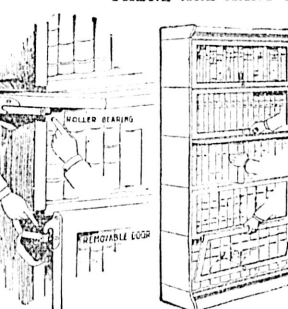
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## ABOUT PEOPLE

Greatly to his regret, King Alfonso has been obliged to issue instructions that the preparations which were going forward for his visit to Cowes regatta must remain in abeyance for the present, as his Majesty finds that the many important engagements which he has already entered into probably will prevent him from visiting England until late in the year. The King was specially desirous of attending the regatta, as his interest in all forms of sport is increasing more and more. He is un-

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andol, a place notable in frontier annals as the residence of Umra Khan, who gave so much trouble at the time of the Chitral expedition. Unfortunately the rising appears to be no longer confined to the Mohmand tribe. The individuals of Bajaur are now stated to be taking part, and this means that the Mamunds, who were responsible for at least one awkward reverse to British arms in the last campaign, have reappeared in the field. Swat and Dir are still reported peaceful, but the news that a large force of fanatics is marching on the important bridge over the Panjkora river is disquieting. These frontier

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L. Davis, Vancouver.  
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J. T. Ross, Dodgers Cove, B. C.  
H. Rodin, Vancouver.  
A. Ramenalafre, Vancouver.  
A. Pondere, Vancouver.  
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K. Burson Butler, Barnett Green, Worcester.  
H. S. Brace, Seattle.  
Charles A. Thompson, Sidney.  
Mr. and Mrs. Turnbull, Seattle.  
F. E. Leach, Vancouver.  
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C. M. Ralston, Vancouver.  
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Mrs. D. M. Foster, Seattle.  
R. G. Dundas, Shawinigan.  
H. J. Dalton, Montreal.  
A. L. McConnell, Vancouver.  
J. J. Mackay, New Westminster.  
Master Mackay, New Westminster.  
H. William, Vancouver.

H. C. Lowry, Vancouver.  
J. M. McHenry, Vancouver.  
J. W. Hale, Vancouver.  
H. Fredericks, Vancouver.  
H. Holman, Vancouver.  
C. Holman, Vancouver.  
Geo. J. Nixon, Vancouver.

Alf. Little, Nova Scotia.  
 G. L. Lawrence, Quebec.  
 Mrs. G. D. Small, Regina.  
 Miss Small, Regina.  
 A. Lane, Boston.  
 E. Stevens, Boston.  
 A. R. McLeod, New York.  
 J. L. Whitteley, Calgary.

Mrs. Whiteley, Calgary.  
G. Bancroft, Calgary.  
Mrs. Whiteley, Calgary.

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N. Garven, Vancouver.  
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The steamer Vadso, of the B. & N. Swift Steamship company arrived last night from northern British Columbia ports and will sail again tonight for the north. The steamer made a fast trip. The steamer Canby, of the Union steamship company, is expected this afternoon and will sail tonight for Prince Rupert and other ports.

Mrs. A. H. Wood, North Yakima.  
D. J. McCarthy, Seattle.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McRae, Tacoma  
L. Conner, Seattle.  
P. J. Nelson, Seattle.  
Frank H. Hall, Niagara Falls.  
Harry Curr, San Francisco.  
F. B. Brennan, Spokane.  
Mr and Mrs Chas Young, Seattle

J. B. Carson, Vancouver.  
 Bert Fisher, Collingwood, Ont.  
 E. V. Mott, Manila, P. I.  
 C. T. Berghit, Manila.  
 A. Delaney, Smith Falls, Ont.  
 M. Dooley, Las Vegas, N. M.  
 Miss Bertha Young, Las Vegas.  
 Mrs. H. A. Burr, Las Vegas.  
 Sam P. Barre, Vancouver.  
 Herbert Burke, Vancouver.  
 Chas. Cannon, Winnipeg.  
 J. Deadman, Duluth.  
 W. E. Robertson, Toronto.  
 C. J. Wells, Sarnia, Ont.  
 A. W. Martin, Toronto.  
 A. G. Fraser, Vancouver.  
 C. Smith, Vancouver.

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W. T. Jackson, Vancouver.  
J. O. Heck, Tacoma.  
S. Sincoson, Cape Codd.  
Mrs. Forsythe, Seattle.  
E. George, Grand Forks.  
R. Creighton, Clayoquot.  
F. Hughes, Calgary.  
J. K. Downie, Edmonton.  
G. Hill, Seattle.  
J. Parkanen, Seattle.  
C. L. Letoria, Winnipeg.  
H. A. Serbie, Vancouver.  
W. A. Demman, Vancouver.  
H. H. Hobbie, Seattle.

## HILLSTON GOES TO SEA

British ship Hillston, of which Corrance, a son-in-law of Mr. H. Cocks, the local druggist, is in command, towed to sea yesterday from Tacoma with a cargo of 1783.009 ft of the biggest timbers yet shipped from Tacoma for Rotterdam. Except for a small amount of small cypress lumber, used as stowage, the small timbers in the vessel's cargo are



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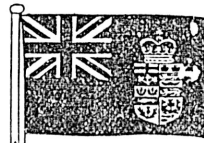
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## DATE OF VISIT HAS NOT BEEN ANNOUNCED

May Be Second Week in June  
Ere Cruisers Come to  
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U. S. Consul A. E. Smith is waiting information with regard to the coming of the squadron of armored cruisers under command of Rear Admiral Dutton, which, as announced by Washington despatches, have been ordered to Victoria. Beyond the fact that the warships are to come within two or three weeks no information has been received. The fleet proceeded on Monday from San Francisco to Seattle, and presumably will receive their orders to proceed north from the southern port. At the Bremerton naval yard it is announced that the Colorado and Pennsylvania, two of the fleet, are to arrive there on June 15 for installation of fire control systems. Original plans were that they were not to go to the yard until July.

The South Dakota, one of the big United States armored cruisers coming to Victoria, is the fastest of her class in Uncle Sam's navy. On Thursday the vessel, built by the Union Iron Works at San Francisco, had her final She has been in commission only six months, and has become the fastest ship of the armored cruiser class. The South Dakota made a magnificent showing in every respect, averaging 22.45 knots an hour on her four-hour run. In other respects the warship proved to be satisfactory. The contract speed was 22 knots an hour.

The Maryland, another of these armored cruisers, holds the shooting championship of the United States navy. Officers and crew of the Pacific fleet are proud possessors of two things—the gunnery championship of the combined squadrons and their goat.

The first came to the ship Thursday last, when the authorities at Washington, in computing the battleships and cruisers at Magdalena bay, awarded the bronze trophy and the triangular red pennant, with its blue shot in the center, to the Maryland.

I. W. Hewitt, first pointer of the three-inch battery, is champion, having made that title by firing seven shots, making seven bullseyes, in 201.2 seconds. This record was made at 1 o'clock in the morning. The targets were illuminated by the searchlight and the members of the crew were on their mettle. The crew was trained by Dr. J. H. Smith, first gun pointer, E. N. Belcher, second gun pointer; F. H. Smith, first leader; L. P. Geller, second leader; C. F. Tenney, sight setter, and B. E. Rossheim, pluggman. Hewitt has been a gun pointer for the past two years.

The trophy was formerly held by the battleship Illinois, and was transferred on Sunday. The result announced includes computation of the final merit of the vessels of the battleship class which engaged in the target practice—that is to say, all vessels having turret guns. Those vessels having 55 per cent. or more of the score of the trophy winner are called star ships, and are as follows, in the order of merit: Illinois, Kentucky, Virginia, Louisiana, Alabama, Connecticut and Tennessee. The standing of the remainder of the vessels are as follows: Vermont, Minnesota, Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Rhode Island, Washington, Kearsarge, New Jersey, Georgia, Kansas, Missouri, Maine and Ohio.

Besides its goat the Maryland boasts of possessing the champion race crew, a champion lightweight boxer and a champion wrestler. Albert Trinkle has been winning fame as a lightweight boxer, having beaten every man he has gone against. Wrestler Schindler defeated some good men in the Olympic club tournament last week. Ensign Farley was captain of the Annapolis football team in 1905 and is athletic instructor on board ship.

## NEWS OF THE CITY

**No Judge in Town**  
As there was again no judge in town yesterday, there were no chambers sittings. It is unlikely that there will be a judge available today, and the probability is that there will be no chambers until Friday.

**The French Alliance.**  
Members of the French alliance are reminded of the regular weekly meeting at the Alexandra club room, this evening at 8.30 o'clock. Book for reading and discussion, L'Abbe Constant. It is hoped that each member will come provided with a book.

**Garesche-Carter Trial.**  
The prosecution of Drs. Garesche and Carter begins this morning in the county court before Judge Lampman, the accused having chosen a trial without a jury. W. J. Taylor, K. C., will prosecute and Frank Higgins is counsel for the defense. It is expected that the case will last for two days, and possibly for three.

**Taken to Penitentiary**  
Luigi Dondoro and Charles Otendorf, both convicted at the recent assizes here, the former being sentenced to four years for the robbery of \$1,400 from a fellow countryman, Tony Parronino; the latter for robbing James Wilkes during the last fair, for which he was sentenced to two years, were taken to New Westminster yesterday to commence their terms at hard labor.

**Costly Island Fire.**  
"Nardiffe," the residence of Mrs. Baldwin Wake, Valdes Island, was completely destroyed by fire last Friday and a quantity of family silver and other valuables lost. Mrs. Wake had a narrow escape, her clothing catching fire while she was engaged in endeavoring to save her property. Mrs. Wake was alone in the house and was unable to stop the progress of the flames, which completely destroyed the building and contents before aid arrived from Gabriola.

**Laundry Owners Notified.**  
Sanitary Inspector Lancaster is busy at present sending out notices to all proprietors of laundries calling attention to the necessity of making the premises used for that purpose conform with the recent amendments to the wash house by-law. This measure comes into effect on June 1 but it is a certainty that in the majority of cases the regulations will not by that time be complied with. The sanitary inspector has discretion in the enforcement of the regulations as to premises so long as the proprietors thereof show an earnest disposition to proceed with the work as quickly as possible.

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**Week's Bank Clearings**  
Local bank clearings for the past week totalled \$1,232,763 compared with \$962,046 the previous week.

**Nanaimo Assizes**  
Chief Justice Hunter opened the Nanaimo assizes yesterday. As understood by the press, but one case to be tried. J. A. Alkman is prosecuting for the crown.

**Sunday Observance**  
Rev. W. L. Rochester, western secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance, will hold a public meeting on Thursday evening in the school room of the Metropolitan Methodist church under the auspices of the local branch of the Alliance. He will speak on "Sunday observance." At the close of the meeting Rev. Mr. Rochester will answer any questions asked. If it can be arranged Rev. Rochester will address tonight's meeting of the Trades and Labor council.

## OBITUARY NOTICES

**O'Sullivan.**  
There was a large attendance at the funeral of the late Miss Ellen Mary O'Sullivan, which took place yesterday morning from the family residence, Quebec street, at 9 o'clock, in St. Andrew's cathedral, where a solemn requiem mass was sung by Very Rev. Father Brabant, apostolic administrator of the diocese. Interment was made in Ross Bay cemetery. Among those who attended the funeral were the entire nursing staff of St. Joseph's hospital, in which institution the deceased had been a nurse, and a large representation from the James Bay Athletic association, including H. Dallas Helmcken, K.C., president. The floral offerings completely covered the casket and indicated the esteem in which the late Miss O'Sullivan was held by a large circle of friends who sincerely mourn her untimely end. At the grave, Rev. Father Calne conducted a brief service. The pallbearers were: A. Campbell, C. W. Finlayson, A. McDermott, G. Gowen, S. A. Bantly and F. Lineham.

**McDonald.**  
The funeral of Daryl McDonald took place yesterday afternoon from the family residence, Hulton street. There were many friends present and the offerings of flowers were numerous. At 3 o'clock Rev. J. McCoy officiated at the funeral service in St. Columba church. The pallbearers were B. Coulson, C. Hopper, A. McNair and C. Twoby.

## THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, M. C., at 8 p. m., May 19, 1908.

**SYNOPSIS.**  
The barometer is slowly rising throughout this province and fair weather is becoming general. Light rains have occurred on the coast from Tatooch to California. The weather in the Prairie provinces is fair and cold at night.

**TEMPERATURE.**

	Min.	Max.
Victoria, B. C.	46	61
Vancouver	46	62
New Westminster	44	62
Kamloops	38	58
Barkerville	31	52
Calgary, Alta.	40	46
Winnipeg, Man.	42	52
Portland, Ore.	42	52
San Francisco, Cal.	59	58

**FORECASTS.**  
For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific Time) Wednesday:  
Victoria and Vicinity: Light or moderate winds, generally fair, stationary or higher temperature.  
Lower Mainland: Light or moderate winds, generally fair, stationary or higher temperature.

**TUESDAY.**  
Highest..... 61  
Lowest..... 46  
Mean..... 53  
Sunshine, 8 hours, 12 minutes.

## TIDE TABLE.

Victoria, B. C., May, 1908.									
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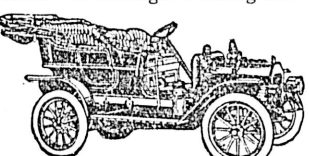
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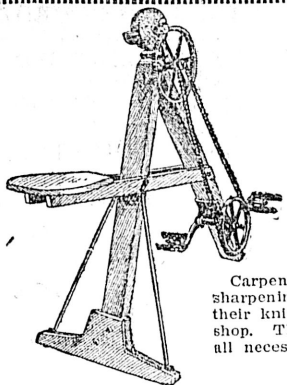
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## LITIGATION STARTED OVER A JAP MISSION

Methodist Church Tries to Get  
Possession of Property  
It Purchased

Judge Lampman's entire day was taken up yesterday in hearing an application under the Overholding Tenants' act, in which the Methodist church is seeking to obtain possession of some property recently purchased by that organization for Japanese mission purposes. The premises in question are occupied by Mrs. Roach, who is a boarding house on Pandora street, the place being known as the Corona. The Methodist church bought it without any idea that there would be any difficulty about getting possession, and in the meantime had sold their property on Broughton street to the Victoria Transfer company. This property had been used as a Japanese mission and it was housed a white teacher as well as a number of Japanese. The church had agreed to give up possession of the old building on April 1, so it had found itself much inconvenienced by the difficulty in getting into its new quarters.

Mrs. Roach, on the other hand, found herself in an equally awkward fix. She was told to vacate at about five weeks' notice, and found herself quite unable to get suitable premises elsewhere, which, as she maintains herself by keeping boarders, was a serious matter.

### Transaction Reviewed.

The evidence given yesterday was somewhat contradictory. After a motion to dismiss made by R. T. Elliott, K. C., who appeared for Mrs. Roach, on the grounds that the affidavits filed were insufficient had been denied, the Methodist church counsel for the A. McPhillips, K. C., counsel for the Methodist church, Arthur Lee of Lee & Fraser in the box. Mr. Lee explained that he had acted as agent in the real estate transactions which resulted in the deadlock. The property had belonged to Mrs. McCabe, for whom he had sold it on terms to a Mr. Steel, the latter gentleman turning it over to the Methodist church. The deposit on the last deal was paid on February 20, and a letter was sent to Mrs. Roach on the same date, notifying her that she must vacate the premises by the 1st of April. The witness went on to detail a number of conversations had with Mrs. Roach, in which, he said, the lady did not dispute the right to ask her to leave. While he could not give her exact words, his understanding of the conversations was that she admitted that she occupied the house on a monthly tenancy. When she complained of having to go he said:

"It is a pity you did not have a lease."

"Well, you know what Mr. Bevan is," was her reply.

He stated that he had tried unsuccessfully to find another house for Mrs. Roach, and under cross-examination admitted that he did not know of a similar place available in the city. C. F. Bevan, Mrs. McCabe's father, was called to show what the original agreement was with Mrs. Roach. Mr. Bevan gave his evidence in a most emphatic manner, frequently refusing to answer questions so much so that finally Judge Lampman told him to observe the amenities and answer the questions put to him. On being asked his occupation he said that among other things he had been real estate agent, and speaking of the original agreement, a copy of which was produced, he said that the house was rented for \$25 a month for the first three months, \$30 for the next three, and \$35 thereafter. At the end of a year he had raised the rent to \$50 a month, which had been paid ever since. Mr. Bevan got very sore at the recollection of the small rent obtained at first.

### Not All Roses.

"They talk about the poor woman making a loss," said he. "But what about the poor other people who are making a loss. That house on Pandora street represented an investment of \$8,500, and I rented it for \$25. The taxes were \$8 a month and the insurance \$1. I gave it to her cheap to help her out, and let her have it for nothing for the first month."

Mr. Bevan said he had refused to give her a lease, and had told her that if times got better she would have to pay more rent. The witness sympathized with everybody except Mrs. Roach. "The Methodist church is not so well loaded," said Mr. Bevan. "See their collection plates. I have seen some of them, going round looking pretty small."

In cross examination the witness became testive, and told Mr. Elliott not to put words into his mouth. He was asked a number of questions about his financial condition at the time of his daughter's buying the house, and if there were not a number of judgments against him at the time. He refused to answer the questions, and the counsel it was none of his business. It was at this stage that he received the rebuke from the court, which has been referred to. He denied emphatically that he was the real owner of the house, or that the property had merely been put in his daughter's name to avoid his creditors. He said he had paid up the trifling judgments against him.

### On Solicitor's Advice.

G. W. Dean was the next witness. He saw Mrs. Roach shortly after the deposit had been made on the house, in order to arrange for taking over possession on behalf of the Methodist church. He said Mrs. Roach did not like the idea of going and said she could not possibly move in the time stated especially as her daughter was going to get married in a week or two from that time. With the idea of helping her out, he had agreed to take over certain furnishings which the

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church did not really want. He had also tried to find another place for her. Mrs. Roach had never suggested that she was other than a monthly tenant until after she had seen her solicitor, who had told her so. Mrs. Roach informed the witness not to move but to go right back and to continue giving three meals a day to her boarders.

In the afternoon Mrs. Roach took the stand. She stated that the memorandum produced by the other side was not a true copy of the one she had received at the time from Mr. Bevan, and she further said that Mr. Bevan had given her another agreement when the rent was raised. She contradicted Mr. Bevan's statements in many particulars, saying that he had wanted to lease the place, but she had declined to let herself to a place. At that time Mr. Bevan was very glad to get anyone to take the house. She said she had never admitted to anyone that she was a monthly tenant, and she had always considered that she held the place by the year. She had made expensive improvements to the place, which she would never have done had she been liable to be turned out any day at thirty days' notice. Her daughter corroborated her story.

A long legal argument ensued, in which Mr. Elliott contended that the facts showed that under the law constituted a yearly tenancy. Many authorities were quoted on both sides, and his honor eventually reserved judgment.

## WORK IS PROCEEDING ON MILL BAY ROAD

Dennis Harris, P.L.S., is Now  
on the Ground With Sur-  
veying Party

Work is proceeding on the new wagon road from Goldstream to Mill Bay, for which a partial appropriation of \$20,000 was made at the last session of the legislature. Dennis Harris, P.L.S., has a preliminary survey of the proposed road last autumn, which was followed by a report. Mr. Harris is now out on the work with a party of surveyors, making the final location and calculations necessary for detailed estimates. His party is at present working from this end of the road, but they expect to move camp to Mill Bay later end of the week, and complete the work from the other end. The amount appropriated will not be enough to anything like finish the road, the cost of which has been estimated at the way from \$75,000 to \$100,000, but it will make quite a showing, and may suffice for clearing the right of way.

The Mill Bay road, when completed, will be of the greatest possible benefit, both to Victorians and to the inhabitants of the section through which it passes. It will do away with the necessity of making the big climb over the summit at Sooke, and will provide a good road all the way to Alberni. It will also open up a new farming district which at present has been held back by lack of transportation facilities, being as it now is far removed either from a wagon road or a railroad. The route, as selected by Mr. Harris, was examined late last fall by a party of Victorians, who had interested themselves in the project. They expressed themselves as highly delighted with the new road. It is said to combine an easy grade, with unusual scenic attractions, winding as it does in and out among the bluffs overhanging Saanich inlet. This part of the road is but a comparatively few miles from the city, and will be a great resource for those fond of driving and motoring, quite apart from the benefit which will be derived by the farmers.

## PRIZES ANNOUNCED FOR DECORATED BOATS

Water Carnival Committee Ar-  
range to Lend Lanterns to  
Participants and Others

The committee in charge of the water carnival for the Victoria Day celebration held a meeting last evening when arrangements for that affair were consummated. The carnival will take place at the George Hotel on Tuesday next. Judging will start at 9 p. m. in front of the refreshment pavilion. Four prizes have been offered by the B. C. Electric Railway, \$20 for the first; \$15 for the second; \$10 for the third; and \$5 for the fourth best decorated boat. In the event of there being seven entries.

On application to Chief Watson, of the fire department, lanterns will be loaned to all applicants with which to decorate boats whether the latter are entered in the competition or not. The committee urges that all those possessing boats will decorate them for the occasion, so as to make the fête a memorable one.

Entries for the carnival should be handed or mailed to J. G. Brown, Dominion Public Works department, P. O. city, by 12 o'clock noon, Saturday.

## MATTER IS SETTLED

Dr. Milne Says Question of Oriental  
Immigration is Past

Dr. G. L. Milne, immigration inspector, who has returned from a business trip to Seattle, speaking of the immigration from the Pacific to British Columbia in an interview at Seattle, said: "The Hindu immigration question had been settled as far as the Pacific Coast, both American and Canadian, is concerned, by the recent action of the Canadian Government and Indian Empire, the introduction of Japanese to the coast by way of the British Columbia cities would be reduced to a minimum."

While the Hindus are British subjects and technically have the right to wander at will throughout the Empire, our government has restricted their arrival by passing regulations which permits their entrance to Canada only when they have come direct from India. That shuts them off, for there is no direct line of steamers from India, the Indians having to come up to the coast by way of the Pacific.

As all of the Hindus who have come to the United States have come from British Columbia, this will also keep the Indians out of this country. "The same regulations apply to the Japanese, who, unless they come direct from Japan, are not allowed to enter."

The usual accounts were passed.

Sunday, May 24, the steamer Iroquois makes the trip round the islands of the Gulf, returning by the Pender Island canal. For information, telephone 511.

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## MONTHLY MEETING OF HOSPITAL BOARD

Question of Admission of Tu-  
bercular Patients is Dis-  
cussed

The monthly meeting of the board of the Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital was held last evening at the board of trade rooms, Mr. E. A. Lewis in the chair.

The application of Sergt. Carson of the police force, whose wife has been under treatment at the hospital for the transfer of four weeks of his term to his wife's account was declined on the ground that it would form a most undesirable precedent; but it was understood that this case would be afforded every other possible consideration. Her members of the police force subscribed the sum of \$600 towards the hospital funds and it was agreed at the time that these contributing members should be entitled during their periods of active service to six weeks free treatment and the four weeks in question refers to the sergeant's allowance. Owing to another hereafter, Sergt. Carson has recently been obliged to incur considerable expenditure and this circumstance was advanced in support of this application. Such an allowance in return for the use of a private room at \$17.50 per week is equivalent to \$70.00.

Mr. Wm. Grant a patient who has developed a perfectly harmless form of insanity and who in consequence of this fact must under the rules be removed from the institution will however remain until a friend and neighbor arrives in town from Prince Rupert in order to take him to his home in Nova Scotia. This friend is expected to reach this city on Monday next.

Mr. A. Littlewood's tender for \$90 for cleaning the walls and ceilings as well as all necessary paint work, was accepted, subject to the approval of the house physician, Dr. Leeder.

Estimates for roofing the hospital with slate and galvanized iron at the figure of \$3,600, and with P. and B. for \$2,000, were submitted, and the architect recommended the latter, as certain changes in the way of using the roof were in contemplation. It was further represented that the adoption of the P. and B. roofing would result in a reduction in the insurance.

The architect was instructed to call for tenders and the matter was left in the hands of the special committee, which has had it for some time under consideration.

Mr. Wm. Wilson urged that the application of a mixture of lime, sand and tallow, supplied a first rate fire-proof material for shingles. But Mr. J. Forman remarked that it would be a fortunate day for the city when the use of wooden shingles in town was altogether forbidden.

Mrs. C. Rhodes submitted a number of letters from city physicians who were opposed to the treatment of advanced cases of tuberculosis in the hospital, but mention of their names was considered inadvisable and the views of other medical men whose position on this question is at present not before the board in writing, are received.

Mr. Wilson suggested as the best solution of this somewhat pressing issue that the city place the isolation hospital under the control of the board, and further increase their grant.

The mayor of New Westminster wrote that they proposed to erect three buildings for the accommodation respectively of cases of diphtheria, scarlet fever and tuberculosis in its advanced stages. Mr. R. S. Day observed that a small building should be erected upon the hospital grounds for such patients.

Mr. Lewis—"Dr. Fagan informs us that the government grant is conditional upon the reception of all classes of patients."

Mr. Wm. Wilson: "Some physicians hold that separation to the distance of 40 feet is sufficient to render contagion from tuberculous patients in the advanced stage absolutely impossible."

Mrs. C. Rhodes: "Dr. Oster, who is certainly a very high authority, states that in the mere act of sneezing such patients can communicate the contagion for a distance of four feet."

Mr. Wilson: "The sputa is said to be absolutely harmless when wet and only dangerous when dry."

On motion of Mr. R. S. Day, seconded by Mr. Forman, the house committee was instructed to take the government's request upon this subject into consideration, and report.

A member of the board remarked that supported by an array of testimonials from medical men in protest against the government's request the board should lay the facts before the premier and his colleagues, and urge that the administration was being ill-advised by Dr. Fagan in regard to this matter.

Mr. Forman: "I understand that St. Joseph's hospital takes indiscriminately all cases, whether of consumption or of diphtheria, etc., and treats them in isolated rooms."

Mr. Wilson: "That statement, however, is incorrect."

Dr. Leeder: "If it were the case it would be an excellent reason for sending patients generally to our institution."

### Monthly Routine

Dr. Leeder reported for the month of April, as follows: Total number of patients treated, 164, and admitted, 88; number of free patients, 50; number of days during which patients remained, 2,669; and daily average, 767.

The matron, M. C. Macdonald, desires to thank the following ladies and gentlemen for donations: Mrs. H. D. Helmecken, papers and magazines; Mrs. Macrae, books and magazines; Mrs. J. Fletcher, Mrs. Prentiss, Mrs. P. H. Pemberton and Mr. White, magazines; and Mr. A. H. Sturdy.

Mr. Wilson called the attention of the board to the fact, that the drain leading from the house physician's residence, although it was laid only about a year ago, is already badly obstructed; and on the suggestion of Mrs. Rhodes, it was decided to procure twelve lockers for the basement.

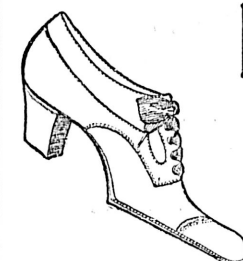
The contract was awarded to the Messrs. Steers & Wills, at the rate of \$6.75 each.

The disposal of certain pigs, which have been fed on the grounds was left with Dr. Leeder and the secretary, Mr. Elworthy, and Dr. Leeder was authorized to have the children's ward re-painted.

The board then proceeded to revise the by-laws, which concluded the evening's business.

The usual accounts were passed.

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# In Woman's Realm

## HERE AND THERE

Not a day should be lost in providing in this city for the proper care and treatment of tuberculosis patients whose recovery is hopeless. This is not a matter for argument between different authorities, nor will it admit of delay. As matters are at present, a consumptive patient might be left in Victoria to die unaided. It is true, that in the past, that admirable institution the Home Nursing Society has taken charge of those whom the hospitals would not admit. But the resources of the society are limited and, already, it has been found that there were patients who would have been better treated in the hospital than in their own homes.

Strangers are arriving in this city every day, and though the greatest care may be exercised by the immigration authorities, it is scarcely possible to prevent the arrival of people whose illness has advanced beyond reasonable hope of recovery. With the great number of miners, loggers, fishermen and others who are living homeless in this island, it is a marvel that the necessity for such a hospital has not long ago compelled attention. As population increases, this immunity cannot be expected to continue.

The testimony of the most noted medical authorities unites in pronouncing that a properly conducted tuberculosis hospital is not a source of danger to ordinary intelligence. Not only so, but that while the patients are too ill to leave the building and where proper appliances and precautions are used, there can be no danger of infection to those outside. If people can live safely in the vicinity of isolation hospitals, where smallpox, scarlet fever or diphtheria are treated, why should they have any fear of a hospital for consumptives.

Ahead the health authorities at Vancouver have provided the necessary accommodation and those at Westminster are about to do so. It is time that the hospital board of this city took steps to comply with the government's order. Public opinion will cheerfully sanction any reasonable outlay. The added expense need not be great. It is to be hoped that many not for some time to come be many patients in this branch of the hospital, but humanity demands that no fellow-being shall be allowed to suffer for want of care and attention in his dying hours.

There is no subject that can engage a mother's attention so important as the care of her daughters. The future depends on the purity, the strength and the wisdom of the girls of today.

The sweet-faced children of the nurseries and the schoolroom must be cared for, sheltered and trained like precious plants, till they have blossomed into womanhood. Than this, the skill, the experience and the wisdom of mothers and teachers have no more difficult task to perform. Not only so, but that while the patients are too ill to leave the building and where proper appliances and precautions are used, there can be no danger of infection to those outside. If people can live safely in the vicinity of isolation hospitals, where smallpox, scarlet fever or diphtheria are treated, why should they have any fear of a hospital for consumptives.

A great change has taken place during the last quarter of a century among many bodies of professing Christians with regard to amusements. It is not so very long since dancing was prohibited by the adherents of these bodies, and card playing was considered dangerous. This was especially the case among the Methodists. But even in that church there are many who do not think it wise to condemn as sinful practices which may in themselves be harmless. The Methodist Episcopal Conference now sitting in Baltimore is being asked to modify the paragraph relating to amusements which was adopted in 1872. This reads as follows:

"In cases of neglect of duties of any kind, imprudent conduct, including sinful tempers or words, the buying, selling or using intoxicating liquors as a beverage, signing petitions in favor of granting license for the sale of intoxicating liquors, becoming a landlord, renting property as a place in or on which to manufacture or sell intoxicating liquors, dancing, playing at games of chance, attending theatres, horse races, circuses, dancing parties or patronizing dancing schools, or taking such other amusements as are obviously misleading or questionable moral tendencies or discreditable to the order and discipline of the church—first let private reproof be given by the pastor or leader, and if there be an acknowledgment of the fault, and proper humiliation, the person may be borne with. On the second offense the pastor or leader may take one or two discreditable members of the church. On the third offense, let him be brought to trial and if found guilty and there be no sign of real humiliation, he shall be expelled.—Article 248 of the Methodist Book of Discipline.

In 1743 it is stated that John and Charles Wesley commanded the Wesleyan societies in England to abstain from such "diversions as cannot be used in the name of the Lord Jesus." There are many who think that this rule is preferable to the more extended one and that it should be left to the conscience of each individual to decide as to what amusements are in accordance with it. The subject is one that will provoke much discussion and the problem presented is a difficult one to solve.

A few days ago a test was made of the school buildings of Toronto to see whether they were safe in case of fire. An alarm was sounded and the rooms were filled with a great volume of smoke by setting fire to chemically prepared paper. In every case the children escaped from the building without panic and without accident. The Toronto Globe, which gives an account of the test, admits that it is possible some of the teachers may have learned that the alarm given was a false one, but this was not the case in most of the schools. No school took more than two minutes to empty, while many which had classrooms in third stories were emptied in a minute and a half. The escapes do not appear to have been used. The doors swung freely outward under pressure from

within. The greater the pressure the more rapidly the doors opened, and they closed again as soon as the pressure ceased. Both corridors and doors are wide, and the children went out without hurry or disorder. The school authorities of Toronto are to be congratulated on having provided against a danger so terrible as a panic among children in a burning building.

"Should pupils be punished by the school authorities for offences committed out of school hours?" is a question which is usually answered in the affirmative in the majority of cases. Yet there are cases when pupils should be held accountable for their actions during Sundays and holidays.

In Wisconsin, a short time ago, two girls wrote a poem at home, holding up their teachers to ridicule, and found a newspaper editor irresponsible enough to publish their production, and their return to school they were dismissed by the authorities. Their father went to law to compel the teachers to reinstate them on the ground that their offense was committed out of school hours. The supreme court, however, sustained the action of the school board.

It is difficult to see how discipline could have been maintained in a room where such an act was allowed to go unpunished. If the girls had as much good feeling as they had wit and cleverness they would have apologized for their escapade, and the teachers, if they were sensible women or men, would have accepted the apology, but on no other grounds could their presence in the schoolroom have been possible.

### Newest Thing in Men's Hats

The question of masculine headgear, though not so perennially interesting as that of the feminine variety, is nevertheless not without attraction to those who set the fashion in men's modes.

The Tyrolean hat with the bow at the back, which was quite the thing last season, has reached the zenith of its popularity and has become too much in evidence to please those who pride themselves on leading, not following, fashions. Its successor is of the same shape, but instead of smooth faced felt it is made of the richest velvet plush.

Its sponsor is the Prince of Wales, who, together with the Emperor of Russia, the King of Spain, and the Marquis de Souda, has the credit of setting most of the fashions in headgear. The young King of Spain is very fond of the English silk hat, which, notwithstanding the many attacks made upon it, is still likely to remain the favorite wear of society in England and on the continent.

### Yale's Wooden Spoon.

For many years, down to 1872, the wooden spoon was the most coveted honor of a Yale course. It did not necessarily indicate the highest scholarship, but it was voted by the graduating class to the most popular man. The "spoon man" of the class was its hero, according to the Hartford Courant. The one who loved him and he was almost invariably a person who justified that affection. The list of "spoon men" would include some of the most eminent of Yale graduates. There were nine members of each class selected by their classmates, and these were known as "cocks," which is short and English for "coincidental." To one of these nine was awarded the spoon and they all joined in a public performance called the wooden spoon exhibition, at which the ceremony of presentation was gone through with all the wit that a college class could master. The last "spoon man" was Robert B. Lea, of Nashville, Tenn., of the class of '71. He died some years ago in Paris.

### A Good Tenant.

If you rent the house in which you live, and that you are a good tenant, you will not have any waste breath railing at your landlord. The good tenant is as careful of others' property as if it were her own. She takes pride in preserving the freshness of the paint and wallpaper. She does not kick at the calls or strike matches on the woodwork. She says it to that none of the drains become clogged from neglect and if there is a leak either has it repaired at once or notifies the landlord of the trouble.

She won't allow the children to skate on polished floors or scratch the window glass for amusement just because the house is rented.

Explosives such as gasoline, coal oil and other things that make fire probable are as carefully watched as if the house were her own.

She will not use any extravagant demands for things that are more or less in the line of luxuries. On the other hand, she will insist, firmly but agreeably, on the landlord's making all necessary repairs. If he proves dilatory or shortsighted about keeping his house in repair, she will not quarrel with him or talk about his stinginess to every one who will listen, but will quietly hunt another house.

She won't allow the yard to look unkempt just because she is a renter who may move. If she is not unselfish enough to leave flowers for the next tenant there are always animals to be planted whose beauty is short-lived enough to suit even a chronic mover.

She will not plant vines on a house which she considers the tenant's. She has the bad taste to disapprove of them and think growing plants injure the walls. They don't. But it is the owner's opinion; also it is his house, and both should be respected. When any bit of trifling changes are to be made by the tenant, even so, the landlord first, the woman not long ago preferred white paint in her dining room and without asking the owner of the house put four or five coats of paint over the fine old mahogany woodwork.

Remember, too, that in most cities, permanent repairs belong to the landlord, no matter who pays for them, and cannot be removed on leaving without his consent. Mrs. B.—I suppose you find your daughter very much improved by her two years' stay at college? Mrs. Brown.—Oh, yes, indeed. She is a very different person now, and she frequently imitates my music. But she didn't a bit stuck up—she's unanimous to everybody, and she never keeps a caller waiting for her to dress; she just runs in from the phone, and you know that makes one feel so comfortable.—Lippincott's.

## WALL PAPERS

Flowered papers are always appropriate for bedrooms, and the chintz patterns mentioned can be used for covering furniture, window draperies and valances for the four-post beds. Many papers, though, of course, not the most elaborate designs, come in cheap grades, and it is astonishing to see how artistic a room can be made with some of these low-priced ones.

In the bedroom of the country house two sets of curtains are not always necessary at the window, and the lace and net curtains in white are dainty and fresh and quite as appropriate as a heavier drapery, while here again the wicker furniture in either green or the natural color of the willow can be used with good effect.

In choosing wall papers for the sitting room and dining room it is well to remember that the flowered surfaces and designs do not always make a good background for pictures, so that if you wish a drawing room or dining room to have a more permanent aspect, and have any old prints or drawings that you want to use, you had best choose a self-toned paper, which makes a much better background. The plain cartridge papers, which come in all the different shades, are good backgrounds for etchings, prints and pictures, but the principal objection to these papers is that they fade and deface so easily, and there are others in the belt china pattern papers, with the old mahogany furnishings have been favorites with the builders and furnishers of summer homes, but now the present fashion leans more toward the tapestry papers, which furnish a room, and are as appropriate as the blue and white papers.

Here a good deal depends on the situation of the room. One must not have too dark a paper, and there are certain shades of green and red which absorb the light and are hard to light in any way, even with electricity. If the rooms of the house open directly out of one another, and the dining room and sitting room are close together, the same tone of color should be used, and particularly if the rooms are small, as the effect of a red room opening out of a green room, or a blue and white dining room and a yellow drawing room is not good.

The new papers for country houses have a distinct line for hall decoration, and many of them are charming, with leafy patterns in green and vines, which suggest the interior of some grove or wood, while for large hallways there are the old-fashioned landscape papers, with almost panoramic scenery depicted upon the walls. These alternate with copies of the old tapestries with rich borders of fruit and flowers and scenes of hunting and peasant life in panels.

Bedrooms which are not papered can be painted or kalsomined in pale shades of color and relieved with white woodwork, which is a distinct improvement upon the white plaster walls of olden times. The papering of bedrooms, however, is one of the cheapest methods, and even 10 and 15 cent papers can now be had in very good designs, which do much toward making an old house fresh and clean and attractive for the summer months. Striped papers are seen in many different designs, and the lattice pattern with roses and morning glories is a favorite one for bedrooms, while the plain more papers with the dainty border of roses and other flowers and the ribbon garlands are also among the newest designs for bedrooms.

### Sunshine Cake.

One common way of making sunshine cake is to add the long beaten yolks of two eggs to an angel cake mixture just before the flour is added. A separate rule calls for the yolks of five eggs beaten until light colored, then add one teaspoonful of lemon juice, a tablespoon of cold water, and a pinch of salt. Beat the white of six eggs until stiff and dry with one-half level teaspoon of cream of tartar. Add alternately to the first mixture the whites of eggs and three-quarters cup of flour sifted several times to make it very light. Bake an hour in a tube pan in a moderate oven.

### Fairy Singing.

It is a little belief that when a young and beautiful girl sinks into a swift decline she has heard the fairies singing. She was my love and the pulse of my heart. Lovely she was as the flowers that start straight to the sun from the earth's breast. Sweet as the wind blowing out of the west. Elana, Elana, my strong one, my white one. Sweet as the wind blowing over thy rest.

She crept to my side in the cool mist of morning. "O Wren," she cried, "Tis farewell now, my love, when the crescent moon hangs like a white bird in the sky. I heard in the silence The Little Folks cry."

"Twixt like a low sighing. A sobbing, a sighing. It came from the west. Where the lone moon was swinging; Elana, Elana, my strong one, my white one. Sweet as the wind blowing over thy rest. From the warmth and the light and the love of thy heart. Hark! Hear their singing. Comes winging, comes winging. Through thy close arms, beloved, Straight to my heart."

White grew her face as the thorn's tender bloom, White as the mist from the valley of doom! Sure was her going—her head on my breast. Drooped like a flower that winter has pressed. Elana, Elana! My strong one, my white one. Empty the arms that thy beauty had blessed. —Isabel Ecclestone Mackay, in the Canadian Magazine.

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## CONCERNING WOMEN

The cruel death of King Carlos has added yet another to the large number of dowager queens of Europe. These ladies are, in addition to Queen Amelia, the ex-empress of Russia, the ex-queens of Spain, Italy, Holland, Sweden and the mother of the late king of Portugal, Queen Maria Pia. There are now two dowager queens of Portugal.

Queen Victoria Eugenie is a devoted mother, but as a queen she has to leave the care of her little son very much to his nurses. Yet she is happy to do so, for the royal nurseries seem like a little bit of old England planted down in Madrid, being furnished and decorated in English style and presided over by an English nurse.

Boston club women are preparing to entertain 14,000 club women at the general federation meeting, June 22 to 30, and it will be the largest gathering of clubwomen ever held. There will be a great many excursions to make the meeting a pleasant one. A trip down the harbor, one to Plymouth rock, historic Boston on foot and in automobile, trolley rides to Concord and Lexington, a visit to Whittier homestead, Salem excursions, trips to Nahant and North Shore and the classic shades of Cambridge.

The five women who will select the girls for scholarships in some English college, whose expenses are to be paid by the General Federation of Women's clubs and the Society of American Women in London, are Mrs. Frances Potter, University of Michigan; Miss Laura D. Gill, Barnard; Miss Agnes Irwin, dean of Middlebury, and Miss Marion Talbot, dean of women at the University of Chicago. The candidate must be 19 years of age, and it is deemed advisable that she must have had two years of college work. She must pass the same examination as that given for the Rhodes scholarship. The General Federation of Women's clubs gave \$1,500 and Missouri and New Jersey have each added \$100 to that sum.

### Collier on Gillette.

William Collier takes no stock in ambitions to play "Hamlet." At the Opera House he was discussing the announcement that Robert Edson is considering a tour in the role of the melancholy Dane. "Edson is an excellent actor," declared the comedian, "but I cannot believe he will be so unwise, in his new play 'The Call of the North,' to wear that he has the greatest opportunity of his career, and he must know

## PUBLIC HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE.

Notice to Architects—Competitive Designs.

The Government of British Columbia invite the architects of British Columbia to submit competitive designs of a Public Hospital for the Insane, which it is proposed to erect at Coquitlam, situated near New Westminster, B.C. The designs, accompanied by specifications, reports and estimates of cost, and superscribed, "Design, Public Hospital for the Insane," and addressed to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, will be received up to noon of Tuesday, the 30th June, 1908. The designs, specifications, reports and estimates of cost shall have no distinguishing mark or motto, the author's name being enclosed in a blank sealed envelope securely attached to the design submitted.

The design shall be adjudicated upon by an architect practising outside the Province, to be selected by the Government, after the 30th June, 1908. The design placed first by the Adjudicator shall receive a premium of \$700, and the one placed second, a premium of \$500. The Government is not bound to erect the building from any of the designs submitted. If the design awarded first place is accepted, the premium referred to above shall be included in the professional fee paid to the architect.

Printed conditions governing the competition can be obtained by bona fide competitors upon application to the undersigned.

F. C. GAMBLE, Public Works Engineer, Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 7th May, 1908.

that the call of the north, south, east or west is not for Hamlet. Gillette once planned to play Hamlet, but better counsel prevailed, and you see how successful he has been with his safety razors."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

### When Tired.

Don't grit your teeth and work harder. Ease up a little. Don't talk any more than you can help. Talking takes vitality. Lie down in a dark place if only for fifteen minutes. Don't read anything in which you are not interested. Don't feel that everything must be done in one day. There are 24 hours. Realize that it is better to leave things undone than overdo yourself. Avoid people and their ways at that time. Seek some one frivolous. Don't try to improve yourself. Give your mind a rest. And don't forget that a little lemon juice in cold water in the morning is a great help.

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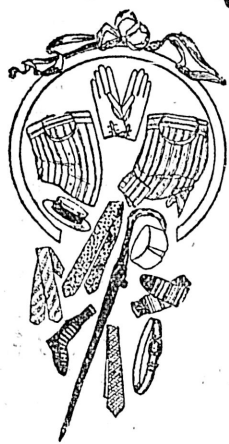
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There were no practices yesterday. Both teams have adopted the principle that, while training is indispensable to first class team work, over-training is likely to have the opposite effect. They are confident that they are in the best possible shape and are conserving their energy.

An admission of twenty-five cents will be charged those wishing to witness the game. Hitherto this season the management have been imposing the nominal rate of fifteen cents. This however, scarcely covers expenses and, inasmuch as the friends and supporters of the intermediate have given their assurance that they would prefer to contribute a quarter of a dollar on the occasion of league games, thus helping the boys out financially, it was decided to take them at their word.

The personnel of the two teams has been decided on definitely. The Central having made their selection yesterday. It is as follows:

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Lorimer.....Point	McLaughlin
McConnell.....Cover Point	Dewar
Pike.....First Defence	Morris
Lang.....Second Defence	Knox
Bridgman.....Third Defence	Whyte
Taylor.....Centre	Sweeney
Sargison (A.) Third Home	Carse
Sargison (H.) Second Home	Mason
McLaughlin.....First Home	Johnson
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## LOCAL COMPETITIONS HAVE BEEN ARRANGED

Dates of Flumerfelt and Bostock Golf Cup Events is Announced

The Flumerfelt and Bostock cup competitions for the ladies' and men's championships of British Columbia have been fixed to commence on Wednesday, May 27, teeing off between the hours of 2 and 5.30 o'clock in the afternoon, the finals to be played off before June 8. This decision has been reached by the executive of the Victoria Golf club, it having been decided that it would be impossible to bring these events off on any one day because of the difficulty of those who will likely to compete in getting away from business.

In considering the regulations to govern the contests it was agreed that the preliminary rounds for the men's championships would be 18 holes, the final round 36 holes, match play throughout. In the ladies' competition, that is, that for which the Flumerfelt cup is offered, it will be for 18 holes, and, as in the first mentioned, match play to be observed on all occasions.

The usual \$1.00 entry fee has been fixed and applications from those desiring to compete will be received up to 4 o'clock in the afternoon of May 26, at the office of the secretary, Harvey Combe, Bastion square.

It is pointed out that in each of these contests trophies valued at \$20 respectively will be presented as well as those mentioned which stand from season to season. The cups put up by the club become the permanent property of the winners. This being the case it is expected that the interest in the forthcoming competitions among the members of the club will be evidenced by a large entry and keen enthusiasm.

## AT HALF TIME

There is some misunderstanding among local disciples of Nimrod as to what the C. P. R. intends to do towards preserving the fish of Cowichan river. In this connection, R. M. Marpole, vice-president of the E. & N. Railroad, was very explicit. He said that it was proposed to prevent trespassing on the C. P. R. lands in that locality. This means that it will be impossible for any but those who have permission to reach the river through the different private holdings along the water course to participate in that sport. Of course, a permit from the manager of the Empress hotel or from the C. P. R. warden, whose headquarters are at Duncan, will open the whole river to the fortunate one holding it.

"Jimmy" Holmes, once the idol of Victoria fans, has not been heard of much lately. But this city is still his home and baseball his favorite pastime. "Jimmy," however, doesn't seem to be able to make up his mind as to whether he will enter the baseball arena in earnest this season. He has been out at practice but, so far, has not said whether he would care to be numbered among the first nine. From what can be learned, while his pitching is not as strong as of yore, it is still of a sufficiently formidable quality to make the batting men of the average visiting team think, and seriously, too. It is to be hoped that "Jimmy" will cultivate just a little more stability because there is no doubt that his presence on the field, providing he has not lost the secret of tossing a bewildering variety of puzzling curves, would be generally welcomed.

An application has been made by the members of the different local trap shooting clubs to the executive of the Victoria Day celebration committee for a recommendation of their decision to cut an international shoot from the general programme. It has been referred to the finance committee for consideration and, from what is learned from various sources, likely will be granted. This will be gratifying intelligence to those interested in that line of sport among whom the announcement that there would be no such event this year had roused considerable criticism, not to say bitterness. That his presence there will be from eight to a dozen competitors from Vancouver, half a dozen from Nanaimo and other points along the line and a strong contingent from Seattle and other Sound cities. Therefore it is as well, perhaps, that those in charge have agreed to do what is possible towards offering suitable prizes.

It is understood that there is trouble among the different lacrosse clubs of Victoria. As a result of some slight misunderstanding one of the district organizations has refused to attend a general practice called in order that the executive of the Victoria club might obtain an idea of the material available for the formation of a first twelve to meet the Vancouver seniors on the 24th, and to fight for this city throughout the series. For the purpose of mending matters, a meeting was held last night and it is gratifying to note that there is every indication that there will be no repetition of such unpleasantness. President Foster McGurn and other officials of the local association are to be congratulated on the manner in which they have dealt with the situation. It has often been stated that unless the different district organizations could get along without disagreeing, it would be impossible for Victoria to develop a champion team. While this is true, it is also a fact that those loudest in proclaiming the obvious cause of the continued failure to place a successful team in the British Columbia League have never had a suggestion to offer towards reaching a satisfactory basis of settlement. President McGurn adopted a straight-forward, energetic policy. He brought the conflicting factions together and through the arbitration of their differences in a cool and impartial way, has practically arranged an amicable agreement. It is exceedingly difficult for four or five teams representing as many local districts, all having diverse interests in the home league, to be induced to think alike on matters pertaining to the outside series without capable leadership. This President McGurn and those associated with him appear to have supplied and, in all probability, the senior Victoria twelve will enter the game of the 24th against the Terminal City side on matters which determined to do all in his power to win the initial game for the Capital.

## TWO BOXING MATCHES AT VICTORIA THEATRE

On Saturday and Tuesday Under Auspices Victoria West Association

At the Victoria theatre next Saturday evening, a boxing match will take place between W. Lauder and Kid Howell, the exhibition to be conducted under the auspices of the Victoria West Athletic association. It is scheduled to be a contest of twenty 3-minute rounds, and, if the reports of the ability of the respective participants may be accepted as a criterion, the contest is likely to prove one of the most interesting that has taken place here recently.

The same two boxers met a short time ago in Calgary. They were advertised to box for fifteen rounds and went for ten, during which the pace was sufficiently fast to satisfy the taste of the most exacting critic. It was lost by Howell on a foul, the latter having been unaccustomed to the "clean break" rule which governed the contest. It has been decided that the same regulation shall apply here, and, as Howell is hopeful of turning the tables, the struggle is expected to prove exceptionally interesting to those who delight in a scientific exhibition of glove work.

The match will be introduced by two preliminaries, both of which are likely to be exciting. In one Joe Bailey will meet Young Bright in a four-round competition. The other will be between the Hill brothers, whose cleverness is well known, for six rounds.

On Tuesday evening a heavyweight exhibition will take place at the theatre under the same auspices. In this the principals will be A. McLaglen and Paris, of Vancouver. They will enter the ring at between 190 and 195 pounds weight. It will be the first professional contest the former has taken part in, he having held the amateur championship of England. Should McLaglen prove to be anything like as expert as he is reported the exhibition should be fast from the first clang of the gong.

"I have never loved before," he said. "Well," she replied, "I am not running kindergarten."—From the May Bohemian.

## FIRST DAY'S RACES AT CRANBROOK MEET

Dr. Tolmie, of Victoria, Gives Satisfaction as Judge—The Results

Cranbrook, B. C., May 19.—The Western Canada Turf association race circuit opened here yesterday, two thousand people being present. The racing was of the highest order. Al Moondie of Calgary was all that could be desired as starter. Dr. Tolmie of Victoria was presiding judge and all decisions were approved of by the large crowd that was in attendance. The track was in very good condition and the weather was ideal. All events were very closely contested. In the last race an upset occurred in which Jockey T. Sullivan fractured his skull and Jockey Lee Jackson broke a rib. The summary:

2 1/2 fms.—First, Del McKinney; second, Don M.; third, Symble. Best time, 2:24.

One mile—First, Dave Webber; second, Jack Fall; third, Ben Lord. Time 1:48.

Three-quarter mile—First, Col. Preston; second, La Taranta; third, The Missourian. Time, 1:20 1/2.

Five-eighth mile—First, Sam McGibben; second, Ben Ellen; third, Otto Price. Time 1:06.

Mile extra—First, Lucree; second, Fure; third, Irax. Time 1:48.

The Indian pony race was won by Joe Hickey.

Golf Championship

St. Andrew's Scotland, May 19.—Play in the women's championship golf tournament of Great Britain was started here today. There were 148 entries for this event.

## B. C. A. L. A. MEETING TAKES PLACE TODAY

Announcement Made at Gathering of Local Lacrosse Players

It was announced at a meeting of representatives of the three local intermediate lacrosse teams held last evening at the Y. M. C. A. rooms that a special general gathering of the B. C. A. L. A. had been called for 1 o'clock in Vancouver this afternoon and that Stanley Peele, the delegate, had arranged to leave by the night's boat. There was a large attendance, every district having a strong contingent of players and supporters present. Foster McGurn, president of the Victoria association, occupied the chair.

After the meeting had been called to order the chairman made the foregoing statement, adding that it would be necessary to appoint someone to take Mr. Peele's position as club captain during his absence. This elicited considerable discussion which resulted in the choice of A. McDonald. The latter's duty will be to attend the intermediate lacrosse match to be played tonight between the Central and James Bay teams and, with the assistance of President McGurn, to choose the first three local players to participate in the initial contest of the inter-provincial series, in which a representative Victoria and Fairview twelve, of Vancouver, will cross sticks. These named then will proceed, in the customary constitutional way, to name others who, in their judgment, are entitled to a place among the twelve on whom will fall the responsibility of battling for their club's prestige against the Vancouver stalwarts. Members of the Victoria West club promised to attend the Central-James Bay match in order that they would be present during the progress of selection.

While the meeting had been called primarily for the purpose of bringing together two lacrosse factions which, it is understood, were not on amicable terms this matter did not take much time. A tacit agreement was reached that hatchets would be buried and allowed to remain so until the end of the season, or at least during times when such rivalry was likely to interfere with Victoria's standing against outside aggregations. This was the result of the friendly and informal discussion introduced by the president and others who pointed out how necessary it was that all should stand together, forgetting petty jealousies, if this city hoped to win any of the championship series about to be inaugurated.

It was suggested that the inter-provincial match between the Victoria intermediates and the Fairview twelves should take place on the new grounds. President McGurn giving his assurance that the fences and grand stand would be completed and the playing area thoroughly rolled by that date. An idea met with favor and carried.

In behalf of the association in control of the Cook street grounds President McGurn offered the local intermediates the use of them free of charge. It was decided that a uniform admission charge to the grounds and grand stand seats of 25 cents should be imposed.

The selection of the senior team was also discussed. This matter, it was agreed, would be left until after the Saturday contest when the choice of twelve players will be made as provided by the constitution.

The meeting then adjourned.

## PRACTICE OF LOCAL TEAM LAST NIGHT

Players in Splendid Form for the Victoria Day Matches

The best practice of the Victoria nine this season took place at the ball grounds last evening, all hands being out and everything working as smoothly as possible.

If the team can keep up the pace set last evening they will surprise the fans in their coming games. It is quite apparent that the players have now rounded into shape and with another hard drill on Tuesday will be in good trim for the University of Washington on Saturday.

The varsity team will be over on Saturday morning and promise a good fast game. They have just returned from a trip through Washington and Idaho, and having played together regularly in about fifteen games, are in fine form.

The line-up of the visitors will be announced in a day or two as they are as yet undecided who will do the pitching, the team having no less than three good box artists.

On Monday and Tuesday the Willamette university team, who have not met with defeat this season, will be the opponents of the local nine. These games should be splendid ones, and with good weather no doubt a large crowd will witness the games.

## BASEBALL RESULTS

How Leagues Stand

The present standing of outside leagues follows:

American League.				
	Win.	Lost.	Pct.	
New York	17	9	.652	
Philadelphia	14	10	.583	
Cleveland	14	11	.560	
Detroit	12	12	.500	
St. Louis	11	14	.438	
Chicago	10	13	.435	
Washington	10	16	.385	
Boston	9	19	.321	

National League.				
	Win.	Lost.	Pct.	
Chicago	15	7	.682	
Philadelphia	12	10	.545	
Pittsburg	12	9	.571	
New York	12	12	.500	
Boston	11	13	.452	
Cincinnati	10	12	.455	
St. Louis	9	12	.429	
Brooklyn	9	18	.333	

Northwestern League.				
	Win.	Lost.	Pct.	
Tacoma	13	7	.652	
Aberdeen	12	9	.571	
Seattle	11	11	.500	
Spokane	11	11	.500	
Butte	9	11	.450	
Vancouver	6	11	.350	

American League.				
	Win.	Lost.	Pct.	
At Washington—Washington 6, Chicago 0.				
At New York—Detroit 7, New York 6.				
At Boston—Cleveland 7, Boston 2.				
At Philadelphia—St. Louis 5, Philadelphia 2.				

All games postponed on account of rain.

Eastern League.

At Rochester—Newark 1, Rochester 0.

At Buffalo—Buffalo Baltimore, rain.

## NEW WAY TO BE WELL

### Healthfulness of Oranges

The one lesson which many people never seem to learn is how to guard their health.

We have been eating oranges since time immemorial, yet how many of us know that orange juice contains a medicinal principle which has a marked action on the stomach, bowels, kidneys and skin. Some physicians go so far as to say that they can cure the average case of indigestion, constipation, biliousness and dry skin with orange juice and proper diet.

This can be easily proved to the satisfaction of any sufferer. Take the juice of one or two oranges every morning before breakfast, take one or two "Fruit-a-tives" every night at bed-time, exercise a reasonable care in diet, and the proof will be found in health.

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## CREWS SELECTED FOR INTER CITY RACES

Personnel of James Bay and Vancouver Fours to Compete Monday

The oarsmen of the James Bay Athletic association are much interested in the senior and junior four-oared races which will take place between their crews and two representing the Vancouver Rowing club. Although the season is comparatively young many have been out practically every evening, all the club shells being kept constantly in use. As a result two fours have been selected which are expected to uphold the local club's international prestige. While the senior quartette is changed from that of last year, every one is in splendid condition, confident of the result, and looking forward eagerly to the struggle. Much the same may be said of the juniors. They are exceedingly keen and will do themselves credit, despite the short time they have had to attain the characteristic J.B.A.A. style.

From all accounts the Vancouver oarsmen are equally enthusiastic. A despatch received last night reads in part as follows:

"The crews which will represent the Vancouver Rowing club at the Victoria Day regatta in Victoria were selected last evening, and they should be able to beat anything that the James Bay men can turn out for the

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## WRESTLING

Matusda vs. Jno. Hans

Assembly Hall, May 15th

Before the Provincial Athletic Club.

## BOATS FOR HIRE

Parties wanting boats can secure same for the 24th, 25th, 26th May, at the

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The yacht Nootka, belonging to G. Cook, of Seattle, on which is the owner and a party of friends, is anchored in James Bay.

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# On the Waterfront

## STRATHCONA SOLD FOR SKEENA TRADE

Sternwheeler Which Has Been Disengaged for Years to Run on Northern River

## WAS TOWED TO VANCOUVER

Will Be Repaired Before Going North—Many Vessels on Skeena River

The sternwheeler Strathcona, which for six years has been lying disengaged at Spratt's wharf in the upper harbor, is being sold, a deal for her purchase being expected to be completed today on the arrival of the vessel at Vancouver, to Mr. Springer and associates of Vancouver, who will place the river steamer in service on the Skeena river. The steamer was formerly owned by Mr. Bodwell, of this city. The price is stated to be in the neighborhood of \$10,000.

The Strathcona was built about ten or eleven years ago by the British Columbia Iron Works of Vancouver, and was used for a time by that company on the Skeena river. She was afterwards sold to a Victoria company and then to the Victoria Terminal Railway & Ferry Company which operated the sternwheeler from Sidney in connection with the Victoria & Sidney Railway to the Gulf, Islands and Nanaimo. When this service was discontinued, the Strathcona was tied up in the upper harbor, and there she has remained for six years.

Five or six and a half years ago, Charles Pottinger, a local seaman, was engaged as watchman of the steamer, and since then he has made his home on board, the spacious saloon of the river steamer being his abode. A stove was set up there and the vessel made him a cozy home.

Mr. Alex. McLean, of seal-raiding notoriety, who has of recent years been engaged on the Skeena river since he retired from the Carmencita with which schooner he attempted to raid the seal rookery at Copper Islands in 1904 and his subsequent fishing cruises from Vancouver and took charge of the sternwheeler on behalf of her new owners and yesterday the Strathcona was towed to Vancouver to be made ready for service on the Skeena river.

The Strathcona will be sent north as soon as she can be repaired and made ready for service.

Work on the steamer Distributor, being built by Alex. Watson for the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company, is being hurried. The new sternwheeler is lying at Spratt's wharf, where the housework is being completed. When the Distributor and the Strathcona enter service on the northern river from Prince Rupert and Port Essington there will be a larger fleet on the Skeena than at any previous time. The new steamer Port Simpson, of the Hudson's Bay Company, the strongest-powered vessel placed in commission on the Skeena and the steamer Hazelton, of R. Cunningham & Sons, chartered to the Hudson's Bay Company, and the sternwheeler Caladonia, a former Hudson's Bay steamer purchased recently from the Caladonia Trading Company of Victoria and Prince Rupert, for about \$15,000 are already in service.

## BIG TIMBERS FOR THE NEW DREDGER

"Spuds" Will Be a Yard Thick and 66 Feet in Length—Vessel Being Completed

Local millmen have been asked to supply two of the largest timbers cut for some time as spuds for the new dredger which is some time this year to be brought to Victoria for use in deepening the local harbor. The two spuds will be 25 inches thick, a yard across, by 66 feet in length. The dredger has been launched at New Westminster and the machinery is read to be shipped. The work is being done by the Schenck Iron Works of New Westminster, and it was stated that the vessel was to be ready for July, but it is generally considered that there is slim chance of the vessel being here until the autumn.

Two bigger spuds for use with the dredger have been constructed by W. Turpel and these are lying in the upper harbor awaiting some iron work which is being made by Ramsay & Patton.

## TWO MORE FAST TRIPS BY EMPRESSES

Slower Time Will Be Inaugurated Inward by the Empress of India Now Outbound

The R. M. S. Empress of Japan which is due on Sunday, from the Orient, and the steamer Empress of China which leaves Hongkong on June 4, and is due here June 21, will be the last of the steamers from the Orient on the fast schedule, carrying the Overseas mails between Hongkong and London in 29 1/2 days. The time has been extended under the new contract made, with reduced subsidy, to 34 days, the R. M. S. Empress of India now outbound being the first steamer to start the new and slower service. By the terms of the new contract the Empress steamers are no longer amenable for service as auxiliary cruisers, the payment included in the former subsidy to that end having been cut out in the new arrangement. It is questionable whether the white liners will be entitled, under the new contract, to fly the blue ensign which has been flown heretofore.

In the British House of Commons on Tuesday last Mr. Sydney Buxton, British postmaster-general, stated with regard to the new agreement with the C. P. R. that if a route considered more advantageous than the C. P. R. system for the mails to and

## MARINE INTELLIGENCE

**Special to the Colonist**  
Tatoosh, 8 a.m.—Cloudy, wind east, 8 miles an hour. Outside, bound in, a three-masted ship. Port Crescent, 8 a.m.—In, the steamer Charles Nelson, San Francisco for Seattle.  
Tatoosh, 9 a.m.—Rain, wind southeast, 10 miles an hour.  
Neah Bay, 8 a.m.—In schooner Albert, 10.30 a.m.  
Tatoosh, 6 p.m.—Clear, wind south, 8 miles an hour. In the schooner Maverick at 3 p.m.; the steamer Col. E. L. Drake at 3.15 p.m.; ship James Drummond, towing, at 2.30 p.m.; steamer Nevada from Salina Cruz at 3 p.m.  
**By Wireless**  
Tatoosh, 9 a.m.—Cloudy, wind east, 8 miles an hour. Bar, 30.05, temp. 49. Outside, bound in, a ship and a bark.  
Port Crescent, 9 a.m.—Steamship Watson, inbound, at 5.30 a.m.; steamer Charles Nelson, in at 2 a.m.  
Pachena, 9 a.m.—Cloudy, light southwest wind, sea moderate. No shipping.  
Cape Lazo, 9 a.m.—Clear and calm. No shipping.  
Point Grey, 9 a.m.—Part cloudy, wind northwest, Bar, 28.71, temp. 62. No shipping.  
Tatoosh, noon—Cloudy, wind northeast, 10 miles an hour. Bar, 30.10, temp. 52. In a bark, towing, at 9.20 a.m.  
Pachena, noon—Clear, light south wind, heavy swell. No shipping.  
Cape Lazo, noon—Clear, night northwest wind. A black hulled steamer with black stack, two masts and white upperworks passed south at 10 a.m.  
Point Grey, noon—Clear, light northerly wind. Bar, 28.74, temp. 66.  
Tatoosh, 5.30 p.m.—Part cloudy, wind south, 10 miles an hour. Bar, 30.17, temp. 52. In ship James Drummond at 2.45 p.m.; schooner Maverick at 3 p.m.; steamer Col. E. L. Drake, at 3.15 p.m.; steamer Nevada at 5.10 p.m.  
Pachena, 5.30 p.m.—Clear, and light south wind, heavy swell. No shipping.  
Point Grey, 5.30 p.m.—Clear, calm. No shipping. Temp. 61.  
Cape Lazo, 5.30 p.m.—Clear, light southeast wind. No shipping.  
**By Coast Wire**  
Carmahna, 9 a.m.—Calm and clear, sea moderate. Bar, 30. Bark towing in.  
Cape Beale, 9 a.m.—Light south wind, clear, sea moderating. No shipping.  
Carmahna, noon—Light west wind, clear, sea moderate. Bar, 30.10. No shipping.  
Cape Beale, noon—Light wind, southwest, clear, sea moderate. No shipping.  
Carmahna, 6 p.m.—Clear, and heavy swell from southwest. Bar, 30.05.  
Cape Beale, 6 p.m.—Calm and clear, heavy sea.

## FEARS FOR SAFETY OF THE ANTIOPE

British Bark Registered Here is Making a Long Passage From Newcastle

Fears are entertained for the safety of the British bark Antiope, one of the fleet of sailing craft registered at the port of Victoria, by shipping men of San Francisco for which port the Antiope left Newcastle with a cargo of coal 96 days ago. The Antiope was one of the two vessels owned by the late Capt. G. Murray, who was well-known here and now most of the stock is owned by the Charles Nelson Company of San Francisco.

During the Russo-Japanese war the Antiope became famous as a blockade runner. Under the command of Capt. Mathieson she sailed for Vladivostok from San Francisco. When within sight of her destination she was overhauled by two Japanese cruisers and taken to Yokohama. For a year and a half Capt. Mathieson stayed in Japan, part of the time as a prisoner of war and later to buy back the vessel.

The Antiope is known as one of the fastest of the old clipper ships. The early days of her career in the passenger trade to Australia and later in the China tea trade.

The latest addition to the overdue list is the British ship Cressington, out 150 days from Barry with a cargo of coal for Callao. The Cressington has been placed on the overdue list with reinsurance at 15 per cent. Some advances have been made in the rates quoted on other vessels. The ship Bangalore was marked up from 60 to 70 per cent, the Adela from 50 to 60 per cent and the British Yeoman from 20 to 30 per cent yesterday. The Bangalore is out 205 days from Norfolk for Honolulu, the Adela 103 days from Tacoma for Valparaiso and the British Yeoman 104 days from Sydney for San Francisco.

Three big British tramp steamships have been chartered to take lumber cargos from Grays Harbor to Australia. Each of the vessels will obtain the major part of their cargoes there and the balance on the Sound. They are the Earl of Carrick, 2,719 tons; Farley, 2,970 tons; Riverforth, 3,652 tons. All of these vessels are now lying at the Stanley Dollar, built by the Moran yards, had a successful trial trip on Monday. She made eleven knots an hour. The contract speed was nine knots.

## NO MORE OVERCROWDING OF SOUND STEAMER

Dr. G. L. Milne Speaks of Recent Risk—Comment of a Spokane Newspaper

Dr. G. L. Milne, immigration inspector, returned yesterday by the steamer Princess Victoria from Seattle, where he has been on business connected with his department. Speaking of the

tween the two countries whereby each respects the other's inspection laws, but the immigration officials at Victoria declare that hereafter they will have something to say about overcrowding, the Canadian regulations not allowing as much boiler pressure or as many passengers for steamers as the United States laws. On this side, if the laws were more liberal there is greater necessity for compelling strict compliance with every detail of the regulations.

The Princess Victoria yesterday brought 218 passengers and the Chippewa had 47—being the same number as her crew.

## TUG CHIEFTAIN GOES TO PORT ESSINGTON

After Extensive Overhaul Will Be Used in General Towing Work From Northern Port

The tug Chieftain, of R. Cunningham & Sons, left yesterday in charge of Capt. Noel and with R. G. Cunningham on board bound to Port Essington, since coming from the north the Chieftain has had an extensive overhaul, a new boiler having been brought from the Clyde by the steamer Teucer for the tug and installed at the Victoria Machinery depot. The Chieftain, which is one of the best kept tugs in northern waters, was built in 1890, her cabin and upper works being practically designed by R. G. Cunningham, who, while he has never applied for a license, has a practical knowledge of steamship operation.

## CHIPPEWA'S CREW HAS A JUBILATION

International Steamship Company's Steamer Reached Seattle Five Minutes Before Rival

There is jubilation among the 47 men who compose the crew of the steamer Chippewa for on Monday night the steel steamship which broke records in 1907 for a trip from New York to Puget Sound arrived at Seattle five minutes before the Princess Victoria which vessel left, as usual, an hour afterward. It was decided on Monday to make the trip under slower speed than usual, a little better than 16 knots, thereby economizing in coal, and the Chippewa speeding along in front of the faster Princess was hurried. Capt. McAlpine and his crew were beating the Princess Victoria, and there was excitement galore among the 30 passengers and 47 sailormen.

Five minutes after the Chippewa docked the Princess Victoria steamed to her dock and from the Chippewa there were cheers and taunts.

"What do you know about this, eh, you lime juleers?" shouted a deep bass voice from the Chippewa.

"We knew we'd beat you to it," shouted a shriller voice, and there was considerable repartee.

Coming to Victoria yesterday morning the Chippewa kept away from the Princess Victoria's route and had rounded into Port Townsend when the faster steamer went by.

The bark Adderley has completed loading at Chemalvus for Sydney.

## MOVEMENT OF VESSELS

Steamers to Arrive.		
From the Orient.		
Vessel.	From.	Due.
Empress of Japan	.....	May 21
Shinano Maru	.....	May 27
.....	From Australia.	.....
Manuka	.....	June 4
.....	From Mexico.	.....
Lonsdale	.....	May 31



AN ODD TOW  
New bow for the White Star Liner, Suevic in a heavy sea being towed from Belfast to Southampton; by the Pathfinder

from the Far East should hereafter become available, its adoption would not be precluded by the proposed contract with the big Canadian railway company.

The R. M. S. Empress of Japan which is due at the end of this week has another large throng of Chinese on board. The Empress of India brought 780 and the Empress of Japan is reported to have over 700 as well as 150 saloon passengers.

The steamer Umatilla, of the P. C. S. Co., which is due today from San Francisco has a fair complement of passengers and 61 tons of general freight for this port. After discharging at Seattle the Umatilla will remain in port until June 4, when she is to be sent to Cape Nome. The steamer City of Puebla will take her place in the Victoria-San Francisco service.

The ferry steamer St. George, running between Vancouver and North Vancouver, came into collision with the landing at Vancouver Monday night and as a result the rail on the starboard side was swept away, the front of the cabin and door smashed to splinters, the stern of the dingy ripped and the boat itself hung into the middle of the deck, and a big section of the west wing of the dock torn out. Luckily no one was injured, although a lady had a narrow escape from being struck by a section of the wharf that lodged across the deck.

recent overcrowding of the steamer Chippewa and the warning given by him to the owning company in an interview given at Seattle, Dr. Milne said: "The American steamship men have shown themselves to be very reasonable and I do not think there will be any future cause for complaint," said Dr. Milne last evening. "They want to give good service and realize themselves that they cannot give it by overcrowding. It was just an incident growing out of keen business competition."

Referring to the rivalry between the steamer Princess Victoria and Chippewa on the Victoria-Seattle route and the crowds carried, the Spokesman-Review says:

In this connection a question arises as to the scope and effectiveness of the United States steamship regulations. Of the two principal rivals in the Seattle-Victoria passenger business one is a Canadian boat, the other American. The Canadian boat is the larger and is said to be better equipped with life-saving apparatus. Under the Canadian inspection laws it is permitted to carry 1,000 passengers. The smaller American boat, under American inspection laws, has a license to carry 1,250.

Government officials at Seattle and Victoria should carefully watch these steamers and use every power the law gives them to prevent the boats sailing under conditions that might result in a terrible disaster. There is said to be a reciprocal arrangement be-

From Liverpool.		
Pelous	.....	Feb. 23
Keemun	.....	Mar. 23
.....	From Skagway.	.....
Princess May	.....	May 22
.....	Northern British Columbia Ports.	.....
Camosun	.....	May 20
Amur	.....	May 25
Venture	.....	May 25
Vadso	.....	June 2
.....	From West Coast.	.....
Tees	.....	May 28
.....	From San Francisco.	.....
Umatilla	.....	May 20
President	.....	May 25
Governor	.....	May 30
City of Puebla	.....	June 4
Spokane	.....	June 9
Governor	.....	June 11

Sailing Vessels.		
Left.		Date.
Alta	.....	Newcastle
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Steamers to Sail.		
For the Orient.		Date.
Tes Maru	.....	May 26
Suaveric	.....	June 8
.....	For Australia.	.....
Aorangi	.....	May 22
Manuka	.....	May 25
Marama	.....	July 17
.....	For Mexico.	.....
Lonsdale	.....	May 31
.....	For Skagway.	.....
Princess May	.....	May 22
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President	.....	June 15
Governor	.....	June 20

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Arrives Victoria 1 p. m. daily.  
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Arrives daily, 1:30 p. m.  
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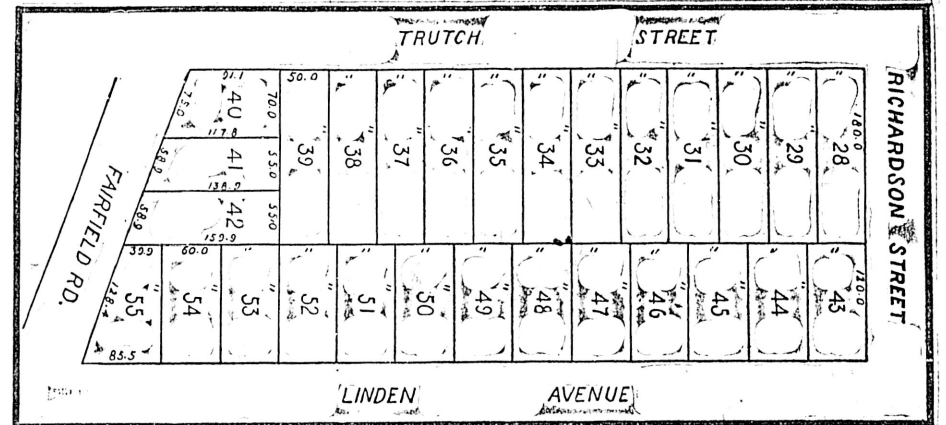
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**THE ATTENTION OF THE LANDS AND WORKS DEPARTMENT** having been directed to the fact that town lots in a townsite named Prince Rupert, being a subdivision of Lot 612, Range 5, Coast District, situated on the mainland between the mouth of the Skeena River and Klenak River, have been sold by the Government of British Columbia, it has been deemed necessary to warn the public that the said townsite is not situated at the terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, and is not the townsite which is owned jointly by the Government of British Columbia and the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company.  
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.  
Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., May 1st, 1908.  
**DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.**  
Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Clifford Wise and Mrs. Antonette Fremont in the business of the Cowichan Bay Hotel was dissolved by mutual consent on the 20th day of April, 1908. All persons having claims against the hotel are requested to send the full particulars thereof to Messrs. Crease & Crease, 625, Victoria, B.C., before the 31st May, 1908.  
All persons owing money to the hotel are requested to pay the same to Messrs. Crease & Crease before the 31st May, 1908.  
**TO THE BOARD OF LICENSING COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.**  
I hereby Apply for a transfer of the Shop Liquor License held by Messrs. J. H. and J. W. Young, of the premises corner of Fort and Broad Streets, in the City of Victoria, to Messrs. Owen Copas and George Thomas Young, of this city. Dated this Ninth (9th) day of March, 1908.  
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**NOTICE.**  
Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date, I, Joseph Ball, of Esquimalt, B. C., intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, Esquimalt, of Victoria, for a retail liquor license for the Howards Hotel, located at Esquimalt, B. C.  
JOSEPH BALL, Esquimalt, B. C., May 5, 1908.

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TWO LOTS—On Victoria Harbor, with large wharf and sheds, also two large warehouses in good condition, on easy terms.  
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TO RENT—Large wharf at foot of Yates street, from \$20 per month.  
8 1/2 ACRES—On Colquhoun river, Victoria district, cheap.  
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**Sheriff's Sale**  
Under and by virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, in an action wherein Pitt & Peterson are plaintiffs and Vancouver Copper Company, defendants, I have seized and taken possession of all the goods and chattels of the defendant company, situated at Mount Sicker, Vancouver Island, consisting of 3, Shag geared locomotives, 100 tons of coal, 100 tons of steel, etc., furniture and contents of Mount Sicker, also large quantity of cord wood. I will offer the said goods and chattels, or a sufficient portion thereof, for sale at public auction, on the 20th day of May, 1908, at 2 o'clock p.m. Terms of sale cash.  
F. G. RICHARDS, Sheriff for the County of Victoria for and on behalf Sheriff County of Nanaimo.  
Sheriff's Office, Victoria, May 1, 1908.  
**NOTICE.**  
The above sale is postponed to Saturday, May 23rd, 1908, at same place and time.  
F. G. RICHARDS, Sheriff.  
Sheriff's Office, May 15, 1908.  
**NOTICE TO CREDITORS.**  
In the Matter of the Estate of Joseph Eva Phillips, of the City of Victoria, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given that all creditors having claims against the estate of Joseph Eva Phillips, who died at the City of Victoria, are required on or before the 20th day of April, 1908, to send to Bodwell & Lawson, solicitors of the estate, at the City of Victoria, a statement of their claims, a statement of their assets, and the nature of their securities, if any, held by them.  
And further take notice that after the said 20th day of April, 1908, the executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall have then had notice, and that the said executrix will not be liable for the said assets, or persons or property, to any person or persons, who claim against the estate, after the said 20th day of April, 1908.  
BODWELL & LAWSON, Solicitors for the Executrix.  
**GOVERNMENT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.**  
**Fuel for Public Buildings.**  
Whole or separate sealed tenders will be received by the Hon. the Chief Commissioner up to and including Monday, the first day of June next, for supplying and delivering best lump and sub-bituminous coal required at the Provincial Buildings, at Victoria, Vancouver and New Westminster, B. C., as enumerated hereunder, during the year ending 30th June, 1909, to be delivered in such quantities and at such times as may be directed during the period above stated.  
The approximate annual consumption of coal at each of the buildings named is as follows:  
Best Lump Coal—Parliament Buildings, Victoria 230 tons  
Government House, Victoria 140 tons  
Court House, Victoria 60 tons  
Jail, Victoria 100 tons  
Court House, Vancouver 88 tons  
House, New Westminster 70 tons  
Provincial Hospital for Insane, New Westminster 60 tons  
Jail, New Westminster 40 tons  
Provincial Hospital for Insane, New Westminster 1200 tons  
The above-mentioned quantities are not guaranteed, the quantity actually required may be under or above the figures stated.  
Whole tenders shall be accompanied by a cheque in the sum of \$300, and separate tenders by a cheque in the sum of \$100 on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner, which will be forfeited if the party tendering declines to enter into the contract when called upon to do so.  
The cheques of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned upon the execution of the contract.  
The Department is not bound to accept the lowest or any tender.  
Tenders must be signed by the actual signature of the tenderers.  
F. G. GAMBLE, Public Works Engineer, Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 14th May, 1908.  
**NOTICE.**  
Is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for a renewal of the hotel license to sell intoxicating liquors in the premises known as The Gorge Hotel, situated at the Gorge, Esquimalt District.  
ELIZA MARSHALL.  
**Subscribe in THE COLONIST**

## LEE & FRASER

11 TROUBLE AVENUE.  
NORTH PARK STREET, near Cook, 6 roomed Cottage, now vacant, can be had for \$3,000 on very easy terms. This property is well worth the money. Also a large lot running from street to street.  
COLINGWOOD STREET—3 lots, very large. Only \$1,100.  
PRIOR and BLACKWOOD STREETS—Lots very cheap and on easy terms.  
OFFERS WANTED—for two lots, corner of Chambers and Cedar Hill Roads, size 88 feet by 187. Can be had cheap.  
FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE AGENTS—Money to loan and approved security at current rates, also good acreage for sale. Established 1890.  
**THE STUART ROBERTSON CO**  
Limited.  
1212 Broad Street.  
MODERN DWELLING—Lot 60x120; near Central School. \$4,500.  
LOT—60x120, Duesch Street. \$475.  
4 ACRES of Choice Fruit Land, close in. \$1,400.  
260 ACRES in Saanich Arm. \$10 per acre.  
FARMS FOR SALE—Agents for Atlas Fire Assurance Co., Ltd.  
**NOTICE**  
TAKE NOTICE that 30 days after date I intend to apply to F. S. Hussey for a renewal of license for the Stickie hotel, Telegraph Creek.  
A. E. BELFRY.  
Telegraph Creek, April 15, 1908.  
**SKENA DISTRICT**  
Ferry, Copper City, Skeena River.  
In accordance with Chapter 78, R.S. B.C. 1897, "Ferry Act," the Government of British Columbia hereby applications for a charter for a ferry to ply across the Skeena River at what is known as Copper City, situated at the end of the Kitimat River, Road about 1,200 feet, more or less, below the mouth of Copper River.  
Applications will be received by the Hon. the Chief Commissioner up to and including the 30th day of May, 1908.  
The limits of the ferry shall extend for a distance of two miles above and two miles below said place.  
The charter will cover a period expiring on the 30th June, 1910.  
Twelve hundred (1,200) feet of 1 in. steel wire cable will be furnished by the Government.  
The ferry shall be operated whenever required between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m., every day excepting Sundays.  
Applications shall state the tolls it is proposed to ask for—  
Each adult passenger.  
Each head of cattle, horse, mule or donkey.  
Each sheep, goat, or swine.  
Each vehicle with one horse and driver.  
Each cart or wagon with one horse and driver loaded.  
Each vehicle with two horses and driver.  
Each vehicle with two horses and driver.  
Each parcel of 25 lbs. and under.  
Freight, per 100 lbs. and under, non-perishable goods.  
Freight, per 100 lbs. and under, perishable goods.  
The Government of British Columbia is not necessarily bound to accept any application submitted.  
F. G. GAMBLE, Public Works Engineer, Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., April 27th, 1908.  
**NOTICE**  
Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, at its next sitting, for a transfer of the license to sell intoxicating wines and liquors now held by me, in respect of my premises at 607 Johnson Street to 104 Douglas Street, in the City of Victoria.  
Dated this 2nd day of May, 1908.  
WILLIAM HARRISON.







# Today's Store News is Very Interesting

Those who visit The Big Store today will find us well prepared to minister to their wants. We have on display a most extensive and attractive lot of summer merchandise of all kinds. Now is a good time to make the selections of what you intend having for the holiday.

In the specials we call particular attention to the Dress Goods offer. It is an exceptional one.

## Extra Special for Today

\$1.25 and \$1.50 French Venetians at 75c

This is an extra good bargain, the cloth is a fine all wool French Venetian and marked at such a nominal price should appeal to all. About twenty-five pieces in the lot, the colors being greys, fawn, champagne, light and dark cardinal, light and dark navy, myrtle and all the newest shades in brown. It is not often that you can buy dress goods like these at practically half-price at this time in the season, so don't let the opportunity slip by. 46 to 52 inches wide. Regular price \$1.50 and \$1.25. Today..... **75c**

## For the Holiday—A Go-Cart



People are getting to realize more all the time the good features of giving their children plenty of out-door exercise. It is a great mistake to confine children to the house too much, it is hard on the children and is also hard on the parent, as the child becomes fretful and troublesome when it cannot get outside. It is never too early to start giving the child the fresh air and sunshine treatment, and the Go-Cart is one of the necessities in every home nowadays. We can show you a most extensive range of these carts, all kinds, all qualities and prices to suit all classes of people.

We mention one very special cart. It is adjustable, shellac finish, upholstered in cottonette, 14 inch wheels with rubber tires, green enamel gear. Extra good value at..... **\$13.50**

## Men's Summer Underwear

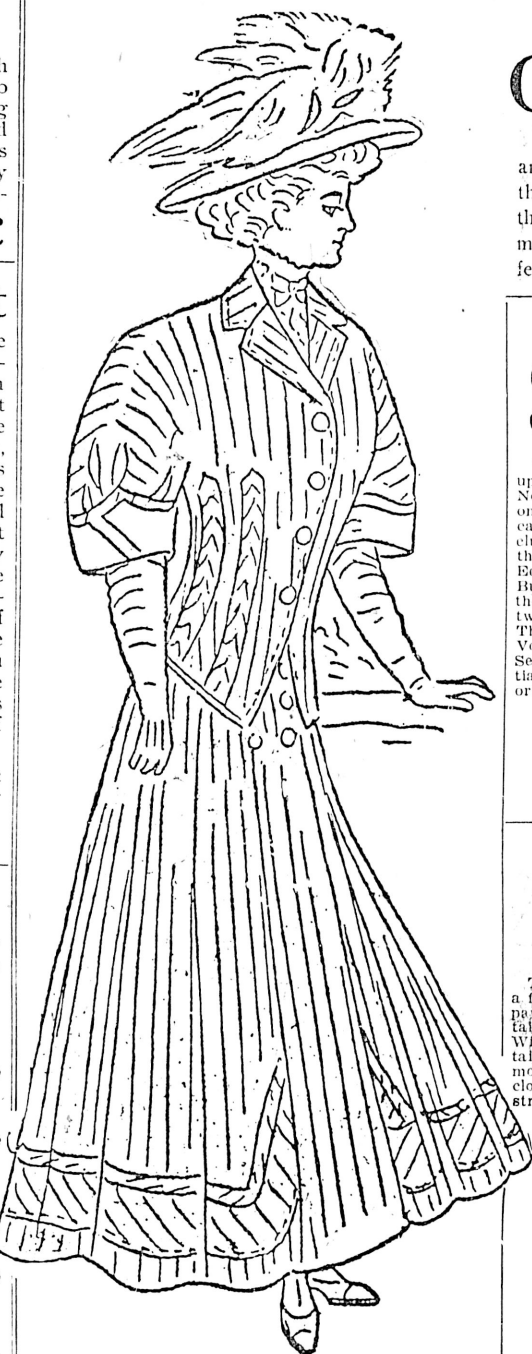
A splendid assortment of Men's High-grade Underwear for Summer is here mentioned. Many will no doubt find items here that will interest them.

MEN'S PINK SILK SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, all pure silk. Per garment..... **\$4.50**  
MEN'S PINK AND BLUE SILK SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, pure silk. Per garment..... **\$3.50**  
MEN'S FINE FRENCH BALBRIGGAN SHIRTS AND DRAWERS. Per garment 75c and..... **50c**  
MEN'S SILK LILE SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, in pink stripes blue stripes, gray stripes. Per garment..... **\$1.75**  
MEN'S FINE COLORED BALBRIGGAN SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, in pink, blue, grey, gold. Per garment..... **\$1.25**  
MEN'S FINE BALBRIGGAN SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, in cream and white. Per garment..... **\$1.00**

MEN'S LILE THREAD LACE WORK SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, in pink and white, blue and white, and plain white. Per garment \$2.00, \$1.75 and..... **\$1.50**  
MEN'S ATHLETIC UNDERWEAR, in white dimity, coat style undershirt, short sleeves, short drawers. Per garment **65c**  
MEN'S WHITE MESH SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, shirts short sleeves, short drawers. Per garment..... **75c**  
MEN'S EXTRA FINE CASHMERE SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, in cream and natural. Per garment \$3.50 and..... **\$3.00**  
MEN'S FINE CASHMERE SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, in cream and natural, short or long sleeve shirts, short or long drawers. Per garment..... **\$1.25**

## Mid-Season Costume Sale

Such chances as this great Costume Sale offers are, to say the least, exceptional. To be able to get the very latest model costumes right at the height of the season, at such prices as these are offered at, is most unusual; and the assortment is so large that we feel safe in saying that we can please anybody.



AT  
**\$35.00**

This assortment is made up of French and American Novelty-Model Costumes, only one of a kind in most cases, therefore being exclusive. The models include the Estelle Christie, the Edna Spooner, the Modified Butterfly, the Clifford, and the Wolverton, these last two being French models. They are made up in Silk Voiles, Panamas, Fine Serges and Chiffon Venetians, in all the newest colorings.

COSTUMES WORTH  
**\$50.00**

AT  
**\$18.50**

This assortment includes a fine lot of different styles, particularly in the smart tailored effects, the Merry Widow and short hip length tailored style being the most strongly shown. The cloths used are fine all wool striped tweeds in new patterns, also Cheviots in shades of brown, blue and green, also black. The jackets are all lined throughout with silk.

COSTUMES WORTH  
**\$30.00**

AT  
**\$25.00**

This assortment includes many handsome Suits of the mannish tailored effects, also some of the more dressy style, including the Butterfly effects. The modified Prince Chap is a very attractive tailored model. These costumes are made of French Panama, English Serge and Chiffon Venetian, in all the newest colorings, including fawn, grey, blue and black, and some very pretty light tweed effects.

COSTUMES WORTH  
**\$35.00**

AT  
**\$13.75**

This assortment of Costumes are made up in French Panamas and Chiffon finished Venetians, in browns, blues and black. Also some very pretty light striped effects. The styles shown are stylish Merry Widow, the smart Prince Charming, the cutaway styles and some nobly plain tailored effects. A stylish and handsome lot of suits. The coats are all lined throughout with silk.

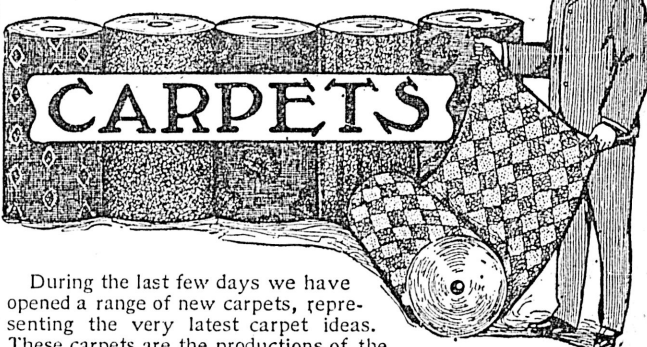
COSTUMES WORTH  
**\$22.50**

## Flags for the Holiday

Of course you will need some Flags for decorating and keeping in the spirit of the holiday, and then they will be useful when the American Fleet visits here shortly and the city will, of course, be looking at its best. We have all sizes and qualities.

SILK FLAGS at 5c each. Smaller sizes at, per doz.. **55c**  
SILK FLAGS, larger, at 25c each. A smaller size at, per dozen..... **25c**  
COTTON FLAGS, all sizes, at, each, 50c, 25c, 10c and..... **5c**  
COTTON FLAGS, at, per dozen, prices ranging from 50c to..... **10c**

## New Arrivals in



During the last few days we have opened a range of new carpets, representing the very latest carpet ideas. These carpets are the productions of the best British makers, and are shown in a good assortment of well selected designs and colorings. Many patterns and color effects are shown for the first time. You will find this stock well worthy of a careful inspection.

IN WILTON AND AXMINSTER CARPETS we have an extensive assortment with borders to match in two-toned greens, two-toned blues, fawns and reds, in exclusive designs, for parlor, dining-room, library, hall and stairs. Prices ranging from **\$2.50** to..... **\$1.75**

BRUSSELS CARPETS, a very nicely assorted stock of body Brussels in all the newest and best patterns, including novel designs in the floral, conventional and Oriental types of patterns, at extra good values shown, at prices, ranging from **\$1.90** to..... **\$1.00**

## Carpet Squares and Rugs

A large and varied assortment of Carpet Squares in Axminster, Wilton, Brussels, Tapestry and Wool, shown in all the standard sizes, an array that will prove that we have used the greatest care in the selection of the designs and colorings in all cases:

AXMINSTER SQUARES, sizes 7 ft. 6 x 9 to 11 ft. 3 x 13 ft. 6. Prices ranging from **\$75.00** to..... **\$21.75**

WILTON SQUARES, sizes 9 x 9 to 11 ft. 3 x 13 ft. 6. Price ranging from **\$65.00** to..... **\$27.50**  
WOOL SQUARES, sizes 9 x 9 to 11 x 13 ft. 6. Prices ranging from **\$28.00** to..... **\$10.50**  
TAPESTRY SQUARES, sizes 9 x 9 to 10 ft. x 13 ft. 6. Prices ranging from **\$25.00** to..... **\$10.50**

## Men's White Shirts

Regular 75c Shirts today 50c

A very special offering of Men's Shirts, just in nice time for the holiday. These shirts are white, with nicely pleated fronts, a slightly shirt and an excellent quality. We usually sell these for 75c., but the price today will be..... **50c**

## Reading Matter at Small Cost

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Publisher's Price 60c. Our Price 25c

These books are bound in fine cloth, with gilt tops, and printed with good, large type. Considering the binding and the authors, who are among the best, this is certainly a splendid chance to get books for little money. These are some of the titles:

THADDEUS OF WARSAW, by Porter  
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ADAM BEDE, by Eliot  
CAMILLE, by Dumas  
COUSIN MAUDE, by Holmes  
THE DEEMSTER, by Hall Caine  
DORA THORNE, by Braeme  
VANITY FAIR, by Thackeray  
SAPPHO, by Daudet  
SCOTTISH CHIEFS, by Porter  
SILAS WARNER, by Eliot  
FELIX HOLT, by Eliot  
FRENCH REVOLUTION, by Carlyle  
THE GREEK HEROES, by Kingsley  
HARDY NORSEMAN, by Lyall  
HOUSE OF THE WOLF, by Weyman  
HUMPHREY, by Smollet  
TALE OF TWO CITIES, by Dickens  
THELMA, by Corelli  
TOLLERS OF THE SEA, by Hugo  
THE FORDMAN, by Hall Caine  
CHANGED BRIDES, by Southworth  
CRUEL AS THE GRAVE, by Southworth  
DORA DEAN, by Holmes  
THE DUKE'S SECRET, by Braeme  
THE WHITE COMPANY, by Doyle  
OTHER WORLDS THAN OURS, by Proctor  
PHANTOM RICKSHAW, by Kipling  
THE PILOT, by Cooper

## Women's Blouses Specially Priced

These Blouses will be found to be great values. We have picked out many different lines and prices and have grouped them together at these three prices. There are some really good bargains in the different lines, and patterns and styles that it would be hard to improve on. See big window display. We give descriptions of some of the patterns:

Three Special Assortments for Today  
At \$1.00. At \$1.50. At \$2.50.

Blouses at  
**\$1.00**



At \$1.00—WHITE LAWN BLOUSE, front made of eyelet embroidery, with six rows of tucks on either side of front, tucked collar edged with lace. Special Price..... **\$1.00**

At \$1.00—WHITE LAWN BLOUSE, front made with a panel of embroidery and lace, tucked back, three-quarter sleeves, finished with tucked cuff and edged with lace. Special Price..... **\$1.00**

At \$1.00—WHITE BLOUSE, made of striped muslin, fastened in front, tucked back and front, three-quarter sleeves, tucked cuff and collar to match. Special Price..... **\$1.00**



At \$1.00—WHITE MUSLIN BLOUSE, made of fine tucks, with a panel of embroidery on either side of front, tucked back, three-quarter sleeve finished with tucked cuff. Special Price..... **\$1.00**

At \$2.50—DOTTED SWISS BLOUSE, front of blouse made with a V-shaped yoke, finished with lace insertion and eyelet embroidery, three-quarter sleeve with lace cuff and collar to match. Special Price..... **\$2.50**

At \$2.50—WHITE LAWN BLOUSE, yoke made of fine pin tucks, lower part of blouse made of eyelet embroidery collar to match, three-quarter sleeve. Special Price..... **\$2.50**



At \$2.50

Blouses at  
**\$1.50**



At \$1.50—WHITE MUSLIN BLOUSE, front made with clusters of tucks and silk embroidery, tucked back with collar to match. Special Price..... **\$1.50**

At \$1.50—WHITE MUSLIN BLOUSE, yoke made of embroidery and lace insertion, lower part of blouse made of shadow embroidery, lace collar, three-quarter sleeves. Special Price..... **\$1.50**

At \$1.50—WHITE LAWN BLOUSE, fastened in front, made of open embroidery, embroidered collar, three-quarter sleeve, with tucked cuff. Special Price..... **\$1.50**

At \$1.50—WHITE MULL BLOUSE, front made of all-over embroidery with eight rows of tucks on either side of front, tucked collar, full sleeve finished with tucked cuff. Price..... **\$1.50**

At \$2.50—LAWN BLOUSE, front made of all-over embroidery, with clusters of tucks extending to bust, tucked back, finished with collar and cuffs to match front of blouse. Special Price..... **\$2.50**

At \$2.50—WHITE LAWN BLOUSE, made shirt-waist style, embroidered front, collar to match, long sleeves finished with embroidered cuffs. Special Price..... **\$2.50**



## Silk and Chiffon Neckwear

Specially Priced at 75c and 50c

A beautiful assortment of rich and handsome Neckwear for Women on sale today. These are shown in some very nice styles and patterns in chiffon and silk. Also a fine range of Washing Neckwear in some very pretty patterns. Very special today at 75c and..... **50c**

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PRIVATE LIFE OF A KING, by Banyard  
QUO VADIS, by Sienkiewicz  
RIFLE RANGER, by Mayne Reid  
ROMANCE OF TWO WORLDS, by Corelli  
PATHFINDER, by Cooper  
PILGRIM'S PROGRESS, by Bunyon  
THE PIONEERS, by Cooper  
THE PRAIRIE, by Cooper  
PRUE AND I, by Curtis  
RECTOR OF ST. MARKS, by Holmes  
A ROGUE'S LIFE, by Collins  
ROMOLA, by Eliot  
ROSAMUND, by Holmes  
SCARLET LETTER, by Hawthorne  
SHADOW OF A CRIME, by Hall Caine  
ENGLISH ORPHANS, by Holmes  
FIRST VIOLIN, by Fothergill  
FROM DAWN TO DAYLIGHT, by Stowe  
HANDY ANDY, by Lover  
HOUSE OF THE SEVEN GABLES, by Hawthorne  
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